Notebook, Volume 13

This volume covers the period October-December 1877. The notes and drawings are by Edison, Charles Batchelor, and James Adams and relate to the speaking telegraph and telephone. The volume consists of 204 numbered, unbound leaves.

There is also a drawing of the phonograph, dated November 29, 1877, which contains the page/volume inscription "154/13" and which may have been considered part of this volume. This drawing, which some scholars think was used by John Kruesi to construct the first phonograph, has been filmed with other early phonograph drawings in NS-77-003, Unbound Notes and Drawings.

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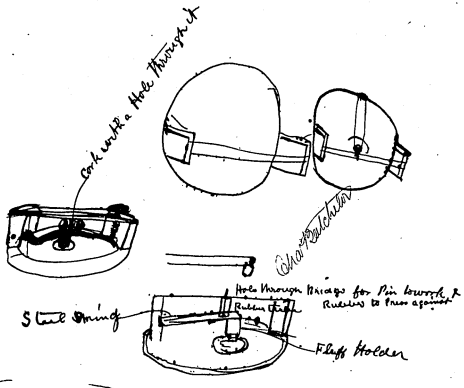

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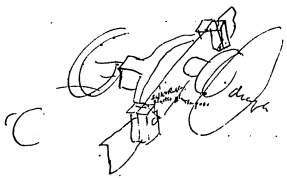

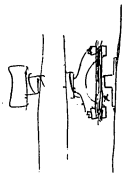

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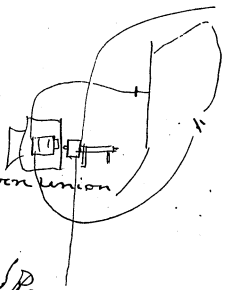

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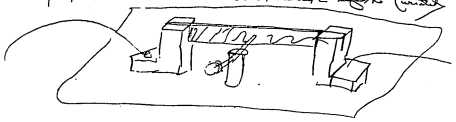

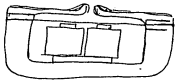

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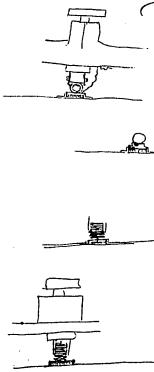

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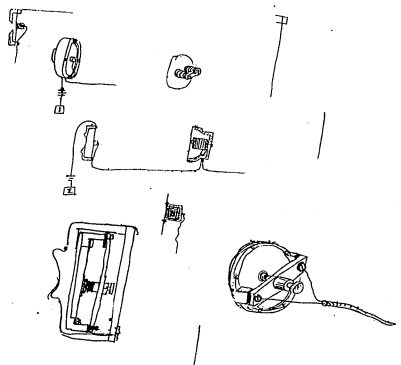

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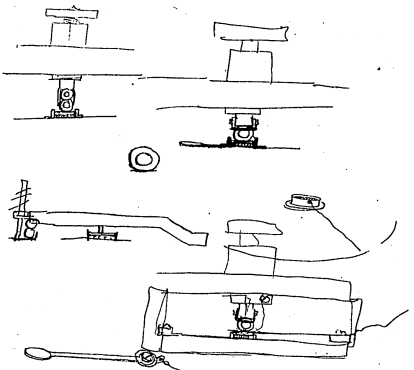

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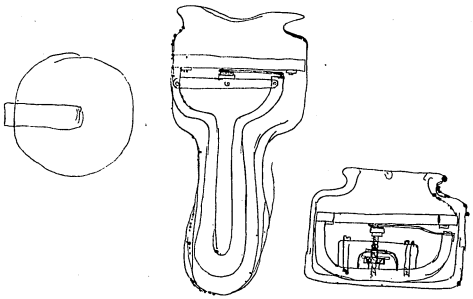

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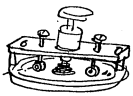

Rubber Ring

Put in Screws and Rubber to dampen the diaphragm

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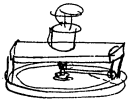

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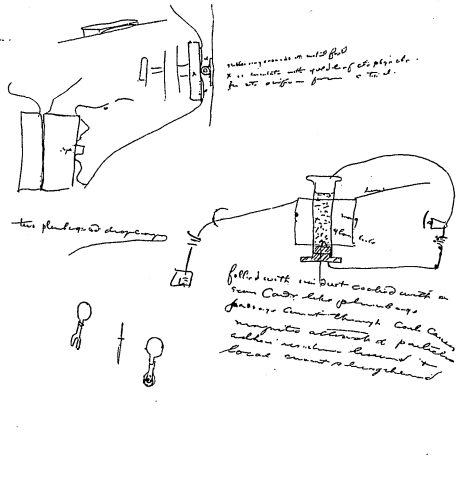

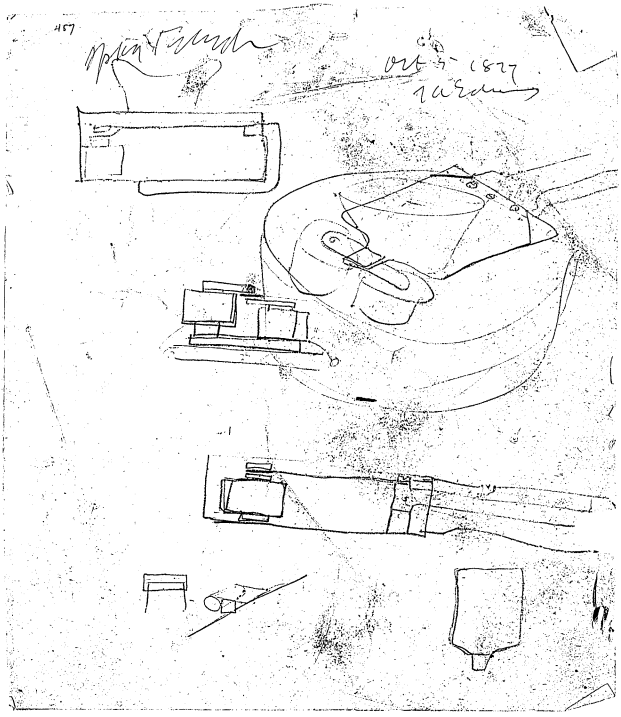

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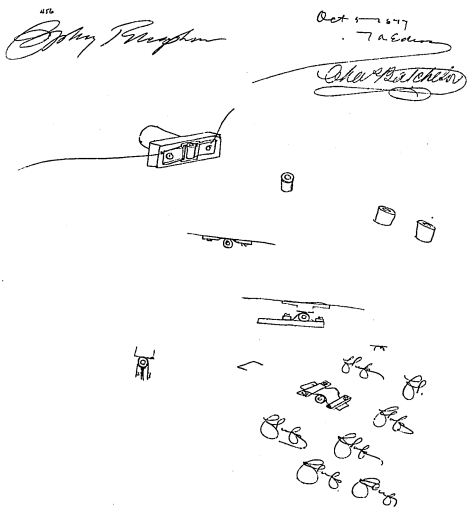

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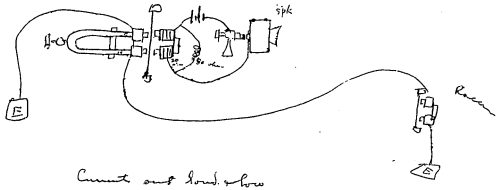
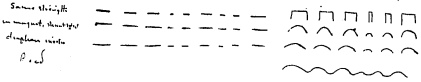
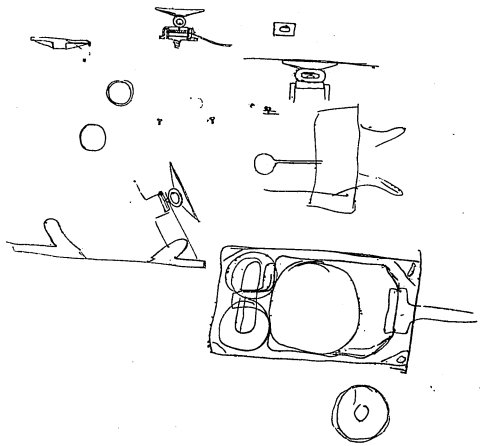


Current and Sound waves

Same strength in magnet, thickness of platinum varied





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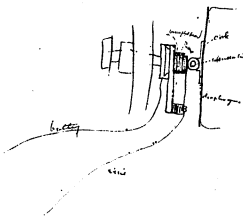
Oct 1/1877

Chas Batchelor

T A Edison

We at last adopt the small shaft & dynamo to speak through have tried many Concentric Rings of hair in thick & thin stuff also various shapes of holes & grains of hair plates etc, remain 3/4 hole pbly best-

We have adopted a new method of working the Semi Cylinder



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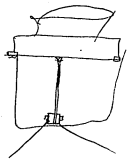

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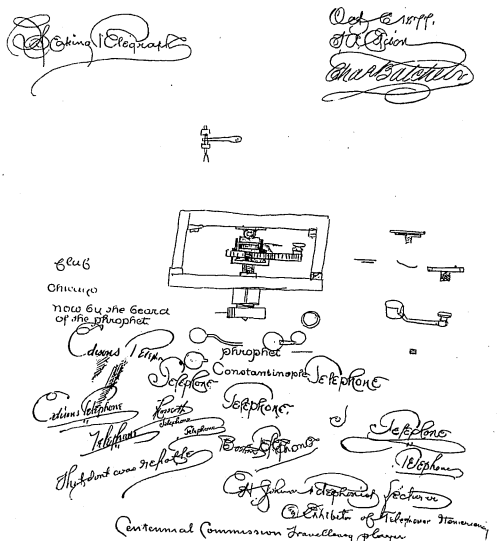
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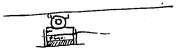

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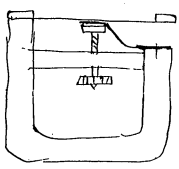

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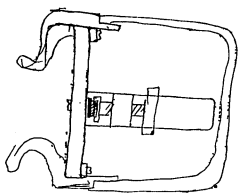

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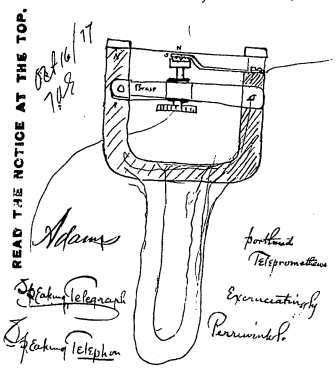

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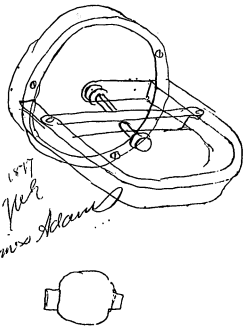

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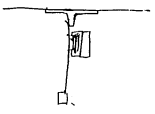

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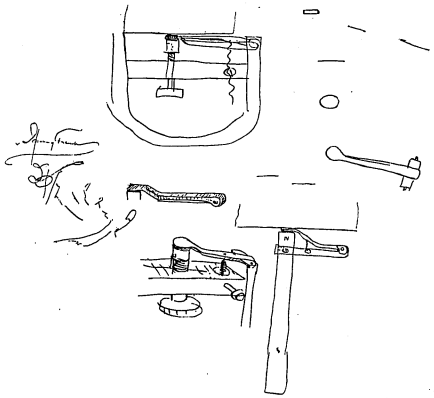

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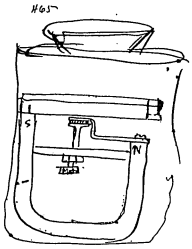

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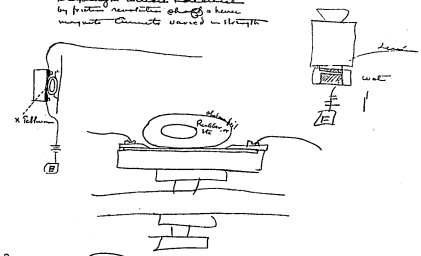
Magneto

Diaphragm increases reluctance by friction resistance of a bent magnetic armature varied in length



Instead of platinum, Rod of Phosphor may be used

EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 29–13.

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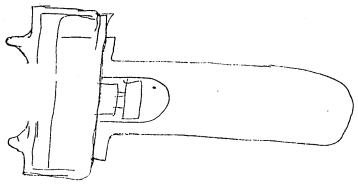
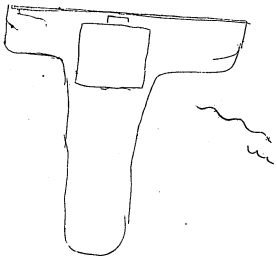
Chas. Batchelor





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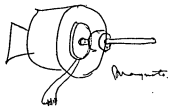
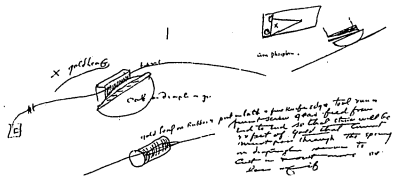
Chas Batchelor





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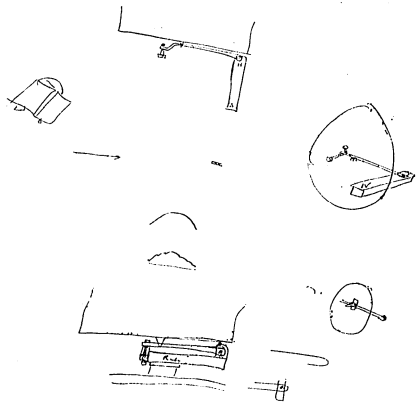
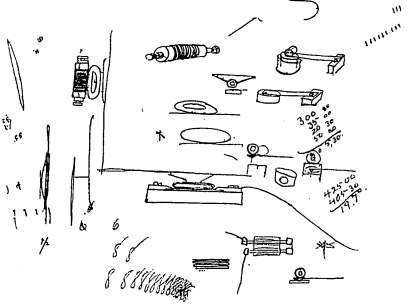


Speaking Tube

Oct 21 1877
T A Edison

Tests with the Scully Platinum & Platinum Iridium Button with Platinum discs on it held Vertically by Diaphragm and press aginst Rubber Tubing,

144: 15 grammes Platinum
6 grammes Rubber in B. Telephone



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Spkg Telegraph

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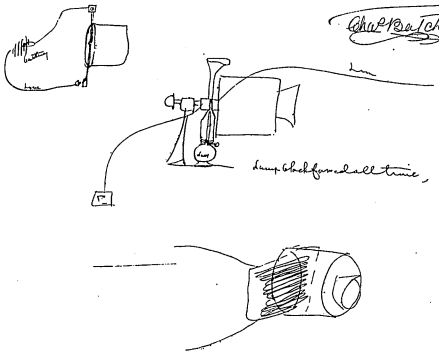
T.A. Edison
Chas. Batchelor



Hard Rubber diaphragm gives heat to Carbon wave
Heat acting on Platinum foil or other foil on a plate somewhat
Spiral about 00 feet of It is exposed to Rubber & through
Which the Current passes permanently the heat
& Carbon waves increase & decrease the
resistance & thus give waves

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Chas Batchelor

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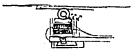

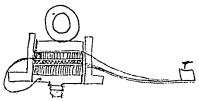

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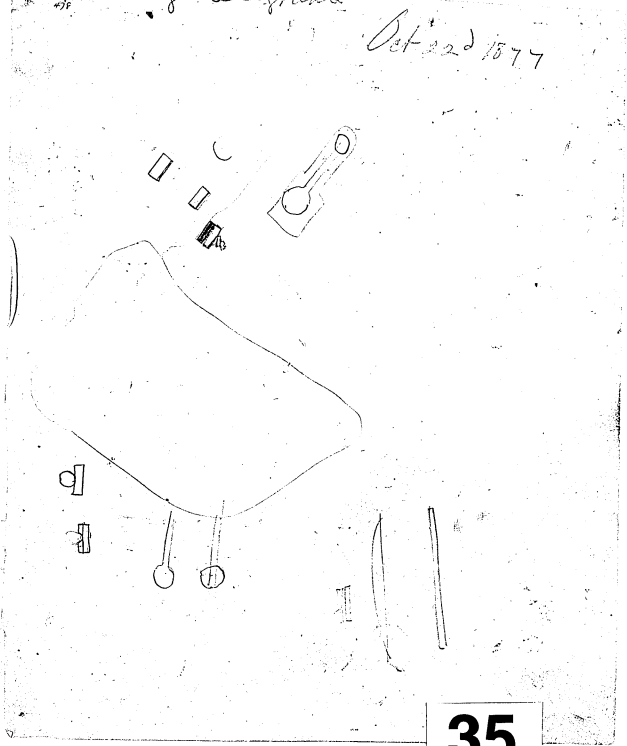

Speaking Telegraph Sept 22 1877

T.A. Edison

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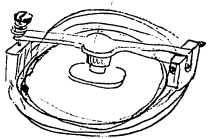
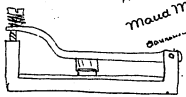
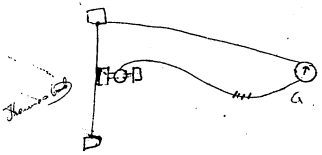


Rotation motor power

Rochester Business College

Maud Mather on a summers day





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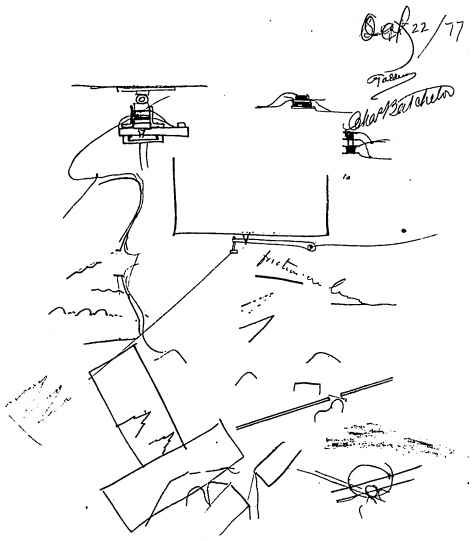

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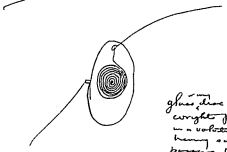
Typhy Telegraph

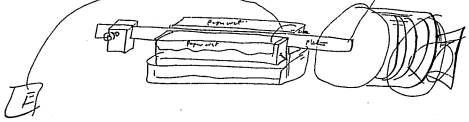
Oct 26 1877.
T A Edison

Witness



glass plate covered with gelatine Pt of Cu
weight pressed with the end
in vertical spiral the depth of
being greater with the finest current
passing through the coil individually
in order, or strong Cu a steel sharp point
permanently marks gelatine -

Lead



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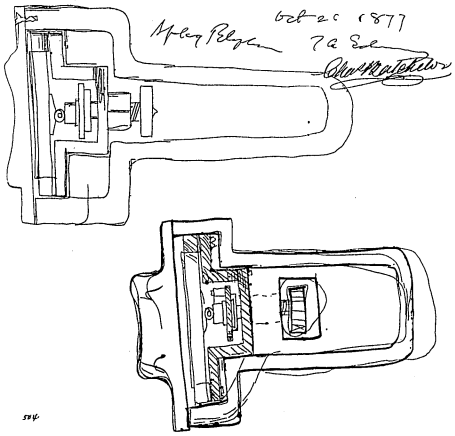

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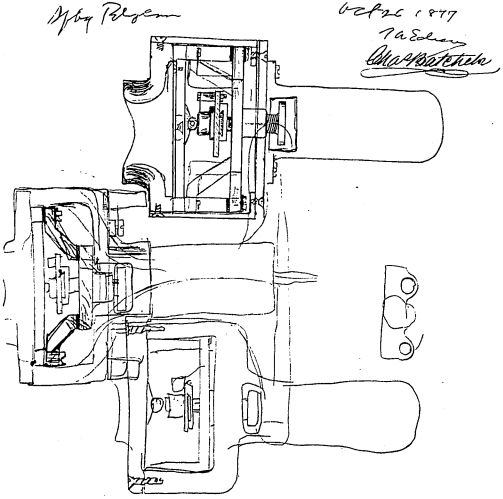

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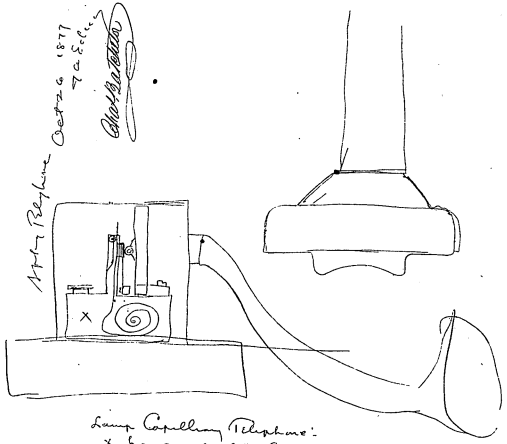
Loop Capillary Telephone.
X has surface of the Conducting Liquid
C is an absorbent material giving required
thin pressure between 2 Electrodes

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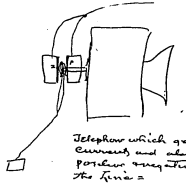
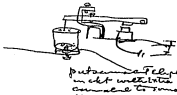
Oct 26 1877

Th. Edison

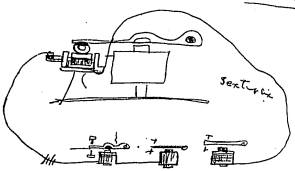
Chas Batchelor



Telephone which generates the own currents and also which could receive magnetic currents in the line 2



Duplex Telephone which instead of one current to transmit, two sent ways can be sent over the same wire in opposite directions



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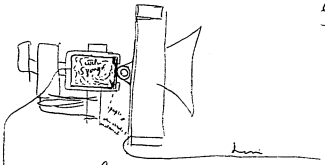
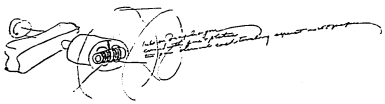
October 26, 1877
T.A. Edison
Edison Laboratory

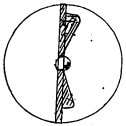


Telephone which generates its own currents
Hydrochloric Tube of Platinum or graphite
Electricity through and I wish to
be from the Experiments we tried. Have
strings as arm for mechanism



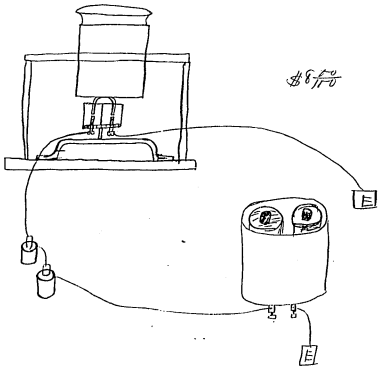
We tried Experiment tonight that was very successful in the

Please make 4 of these (good ones) telephones
right away. Complete
Brought piece like a flat piece of rubber or
Rubber piece screwed on with 3 screws
hole in rubber exactly same
Would like anx. adjustment on the spring
like this + an insulated connection screw
on bridge to wire to connect to
Batchelor
Haverman Hells



Aug 22	Goodrich telephone	5 hours Aff
" 23	" " "	22 "
" 24	" " "	1 "
" "	Shop work with Plumbers	2
26th	telephone	20
27	"	7
28	"	9
"	Shop work	4
"	Shaving Machine	2
"	Expansion for ditto	$1/22
29	Telephone	4
		76

Aug 30th Speaking telegraph Model



X Sept 25 Half each 7 hours 7 "
" 26 Hours 2 hours for Phelps each 8 hours.
" 27 Telephone Exp. Phelps 2 "
Phelps each 6 "
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Sept 14.	Speaking Telegraph		10 Hours	At	
" 2	" "		9 "		
" 7	Left hand Sp. L.t Dic		4 "		
" 14	6 Stations of Telephones at $6				$36
x " 21	12 " " "	"	66		$72
" 29	2 Call Bells at		1.75		$3.50
Oct. 1	Telephone		8 "		
" 2	"		8 "		
3	"		2 "		
4	"		14 "		
6	"		16 "		
7	" Enrunment		3 "		
8	" "		6		
9			7		
10	Portion for Telephone		1		
11	Enrunment on Telephone		10 75		
13	12 Stations of Telephones at $6				72.00
" 22	Call Bell at $1.75				38.50
16	Enrunments on Telephone		17		
17	" "		11		
18	" "		22		
19	" "		20		
20	" "		9		
"	Krueger's Mem 88 at 17¢				$14.96
21	Telephone Enrunment		19		
22	" "		16		
			211		
23	" "		6		
24	" "		19		
25	" "		5		
26	" "		9		
27	" "		8		
28	Telephone Models for Murray for use for his Exhibition		12		
29	Murray Newark Exhibition		9		
			4		
30	" "		9		

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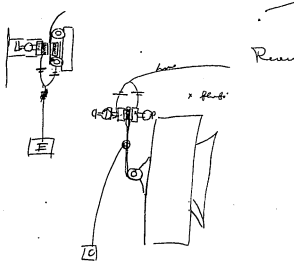
Speaking Telegraph

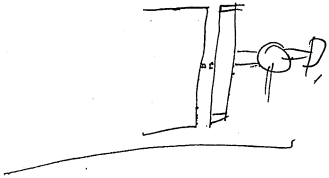
Nov 1. 1877.

T A Edison

Chas A Batchelor

Received Nov 6





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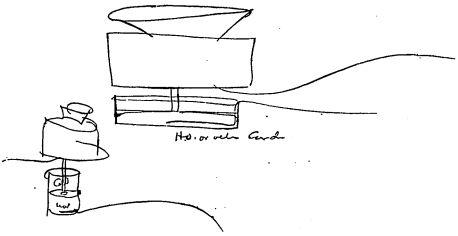
Spkg Tube

Nov 1 1877
T A Edison



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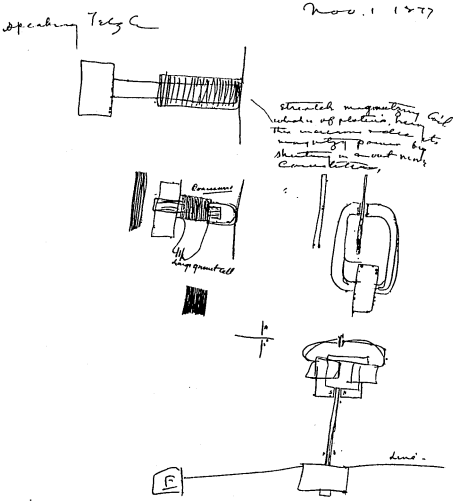
7 a Eden


Nov. 1 1877
Speaking Telegraph
stretch magnet
Coil
Diaphragm
Diaphragm
Line.

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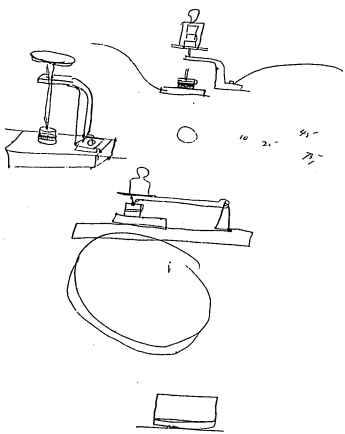
1877
Speaking tel

Nov 1 1877

Chas Batchelor



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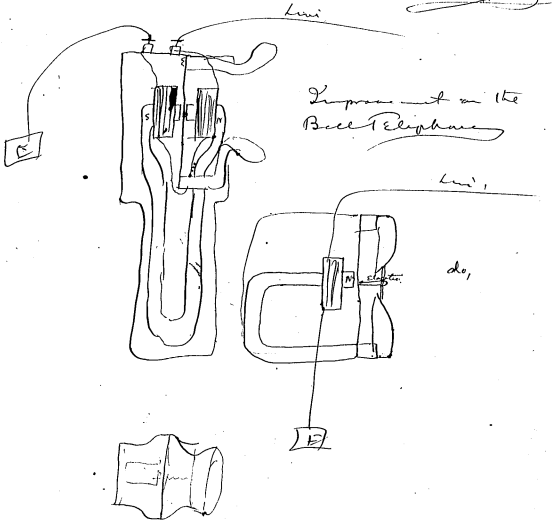
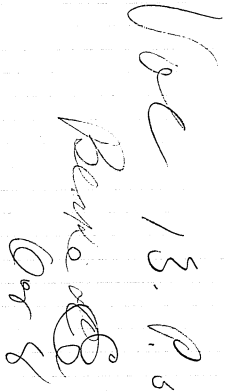
Alexander Graham Bell



T. A. EDISON,

Menlo Park, N. J., *1880.*

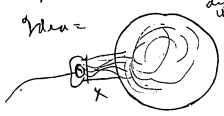


Of Key Bleigh Nov 3, 1877
Faraday Page 29 Vol II Records TA Edison

Good Conductors – Galena – Sulphuret of iron –
Arsenical pyrites = native sulphuret Copper iron
native gray sulphuret of ~~iron~~ Copper
Sulphuret of Bismuth iron + Copper globules of
oxide of burnt iron, oxide of iron by heat or
scale iron = Conduct current simple thermo
pile well = ~~sulphuret~~ peroxide of Manganese + peroxide
of lead conduct moderately well.

A Solution of Sulphuret of Potassium is a remarkably
good Conductor also, ~~prussic~~ prussic acid =
Sulphat. Iron as oxide on the ~~metal~~ iron platina
Couples

Iris =



dark of Camera lock.
Thinnest tin foil and mat
black against it or
Coat it with black gued
foil. Cushioning foil on
to paper. X. the foil will
adhere either varnish
foil + black against it

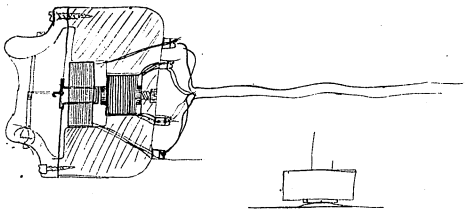
EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 54–13.

Speaking Telegraph

Nov 5 1877
J A Edison

James Adams

On phonograph I propose having a cylinder 10 threads or Engraving grooves to the inch cylinder 1 foot long in that the full of proper thickness covered with cylinder is to be made with embossed paper covering in which grooves or little dots other cylinder applied, I have tried various experiments to what must be taken as my conclusion — surface hardened steel for the engraving grooves in the cylinder to yield a thin cylinder will indent about 200 depth inches & reproduce them from same cylinder —



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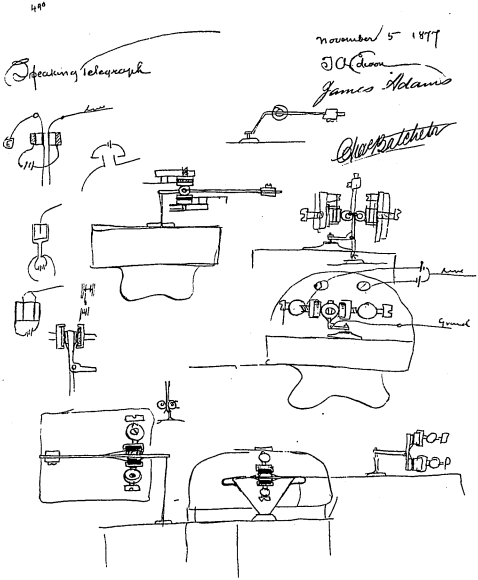

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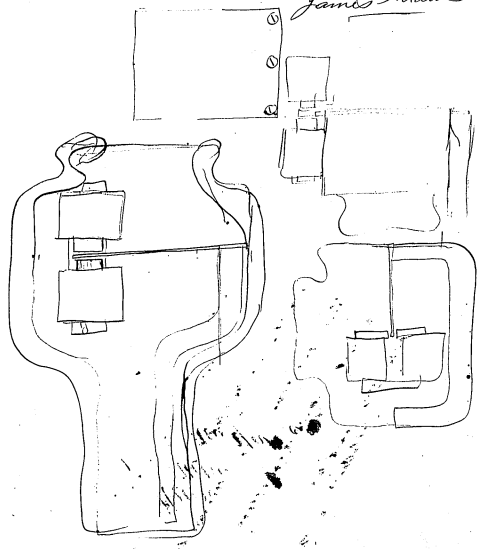
T A Edison
James Adams



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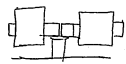
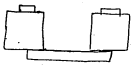
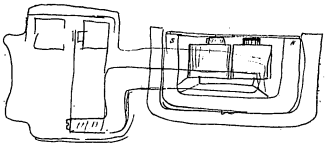
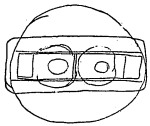
Sydney Pelephone

Nov 4 1877
Talaphone
James Adams









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Thos A Edison

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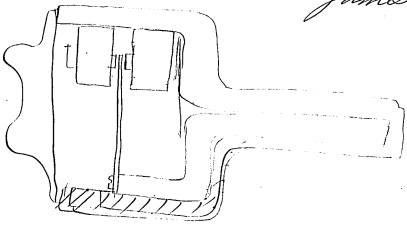

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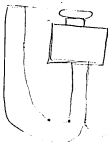

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7A Edina
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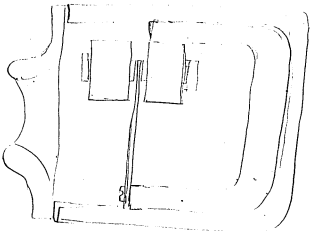

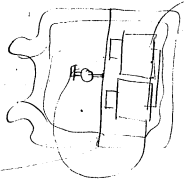

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very high note acting as a guide

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T A Edison

Nov 5th / 77

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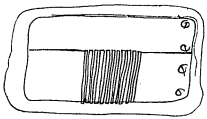

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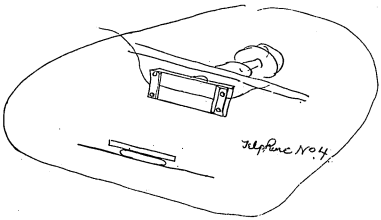

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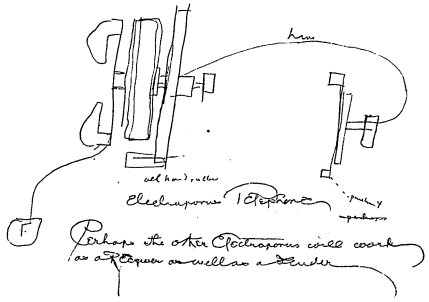

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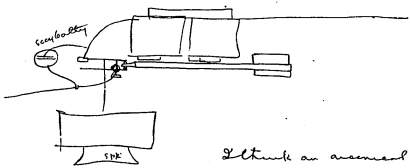

I think an armature mirror
antenna or tellurium as in Mouth
that would be good strip to
vary galvanic as (B) to coil as a
resistance to be used by displacing
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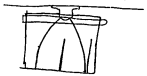
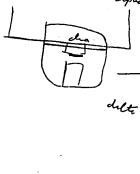


draw line of or opposite wheels shown
over glass & reduce by photograph Adams



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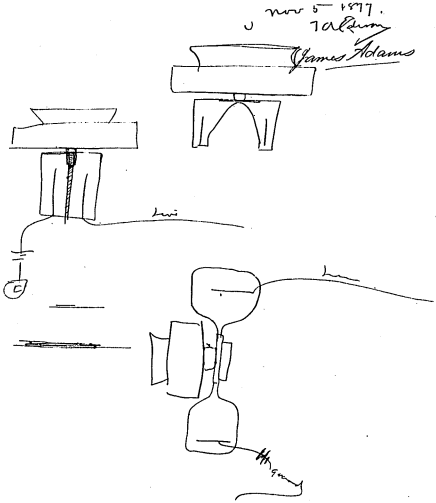

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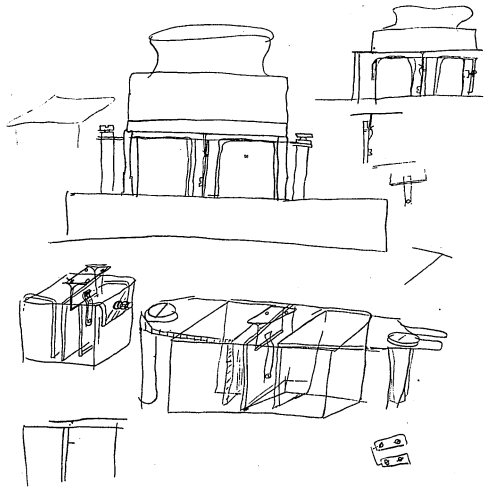
Speaking Telephone

Nov 5 1877
T.A. Edison
James Adams



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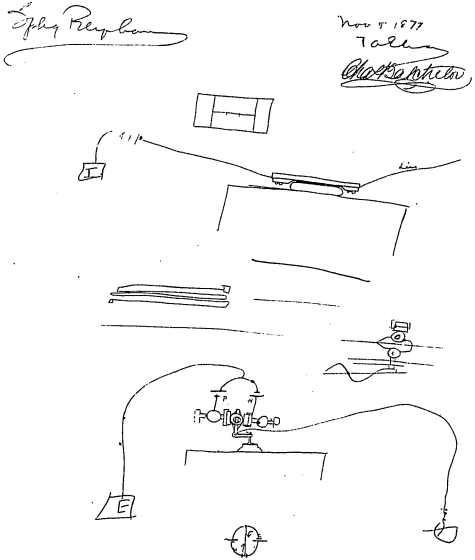

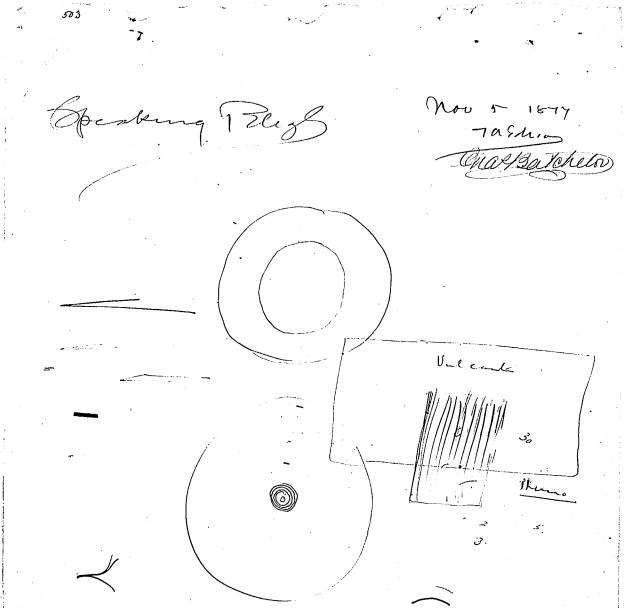

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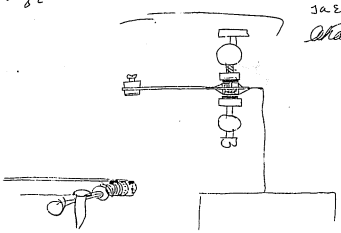

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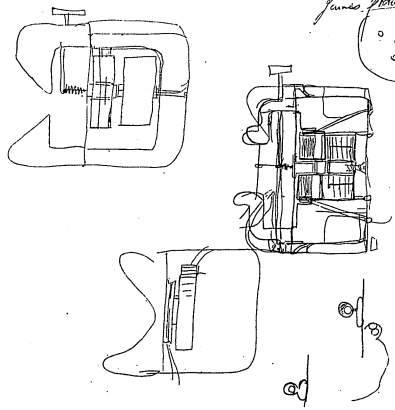
Speaking Telegraph

Nov 5th 1877
Th Edison
Chas Batchelor
James Adams



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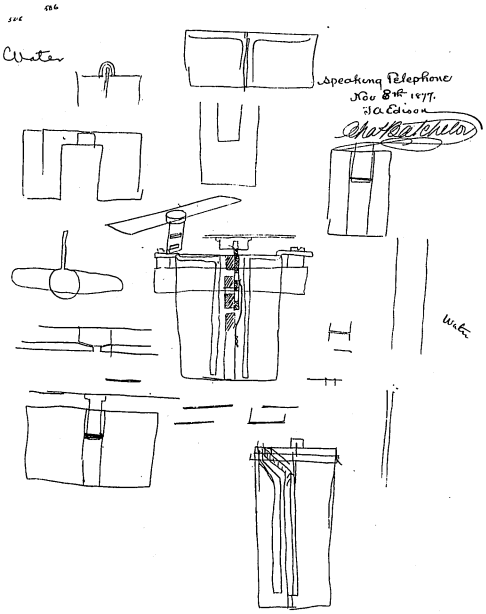

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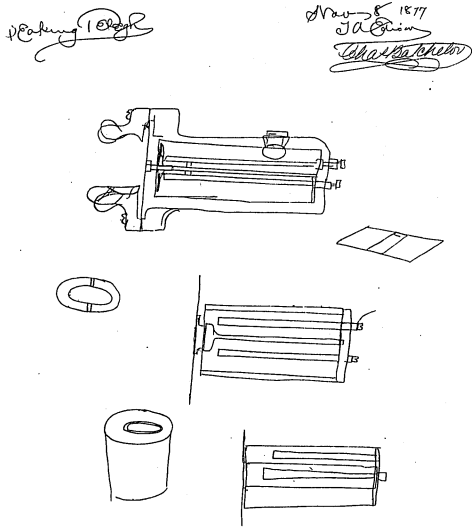

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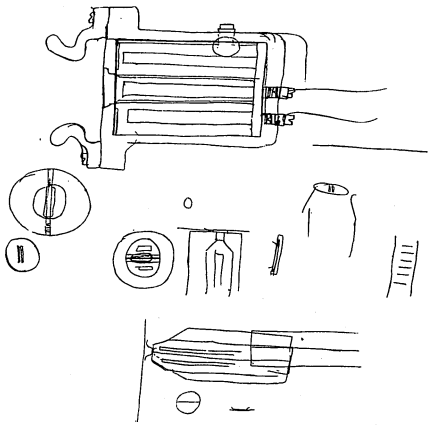
Speaking Telegraph

November 8 1877.
T.A. Edison
Chas. Batchelor



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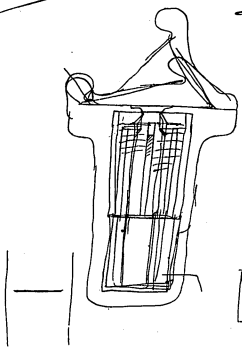

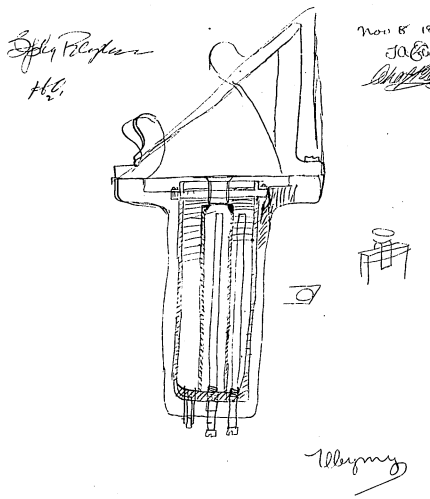

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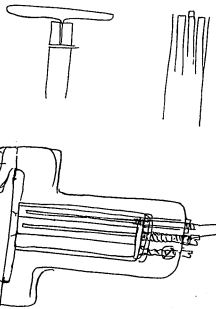
Sydney Pitch

Nov 8 1877
T A Edison
Charles A Pitch



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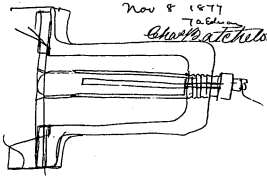
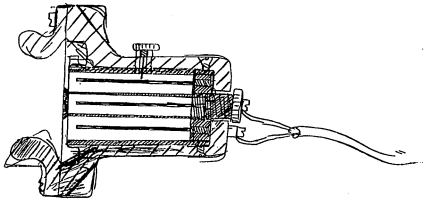
Edley Telephone

Nov 8 1877
Edison
Chas. A. Tainter





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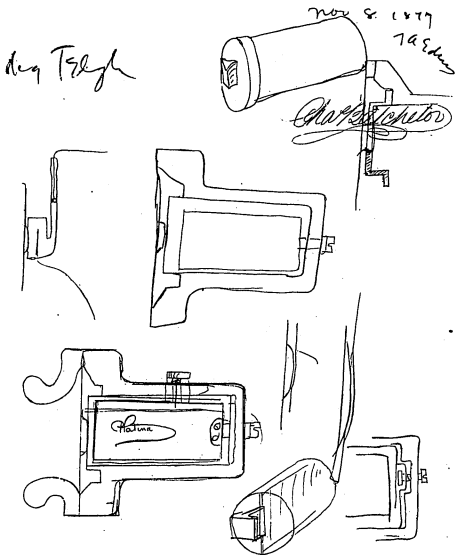

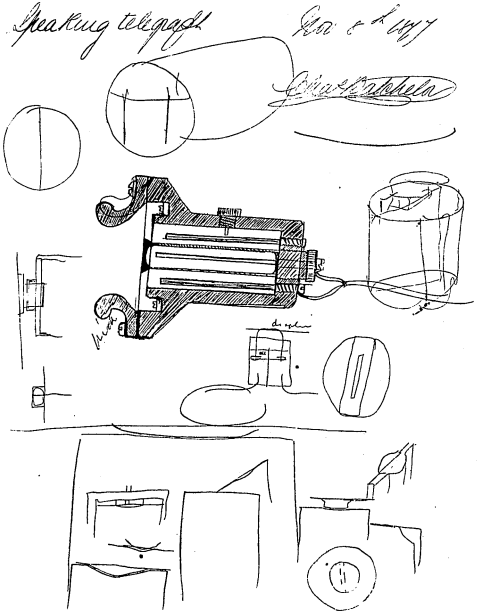
Speaking telegraph
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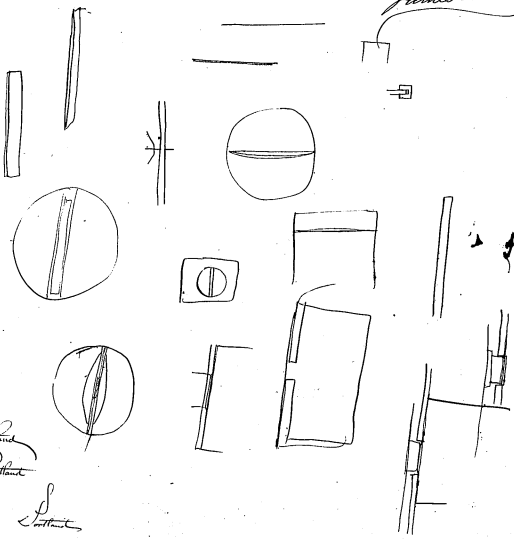
Speaking Telephone

Nov 10 1877
J A Edison
Alex Graham Bell
Thomas Watson



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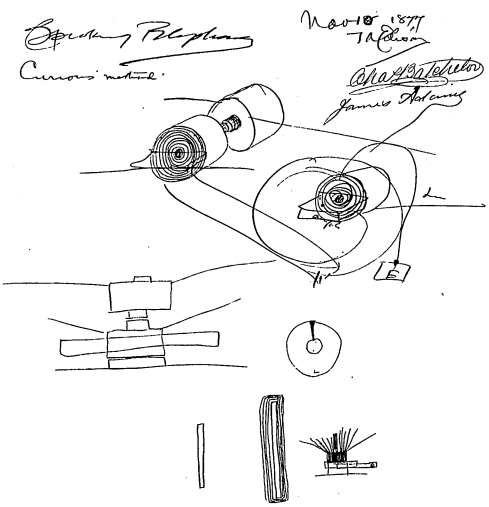

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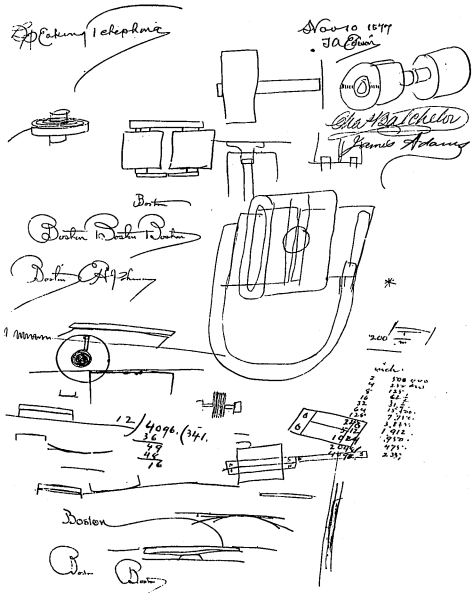
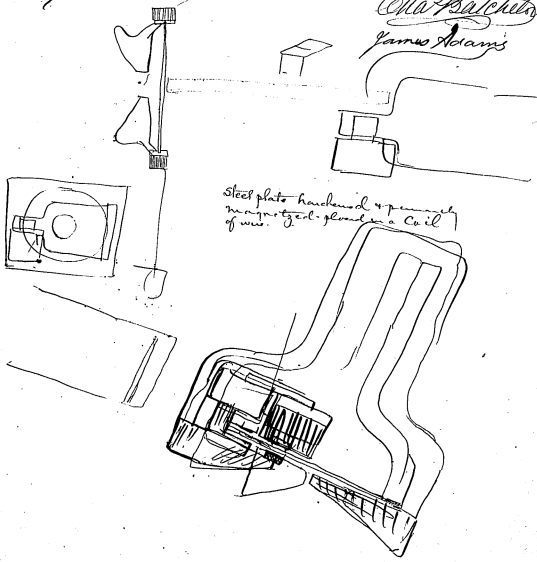


Bipley Telephone

May 10 1877
Patented
Alex Bachelor
James Adams



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Speaking Telephone

Nov 1877

Edison

Charles Tainter

James Adams

Electrode

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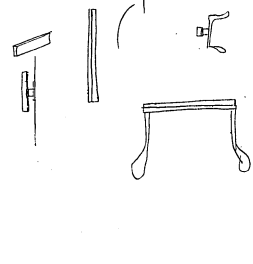
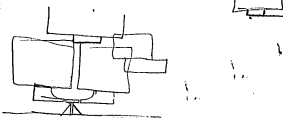


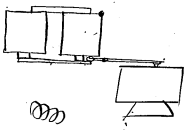
Speaking Telephone

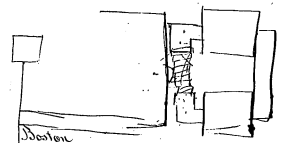
Nov. 10, 1877

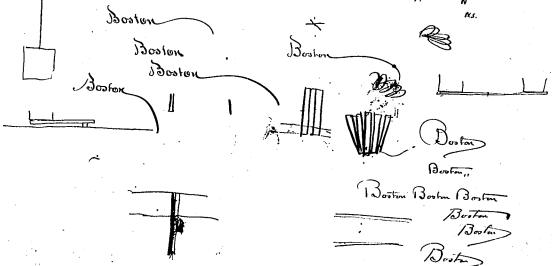
Chas. Batchelor

James Adams









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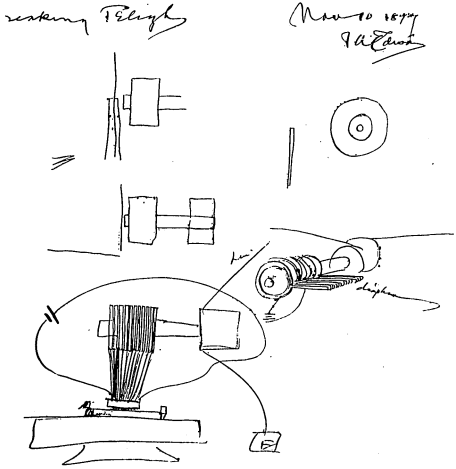
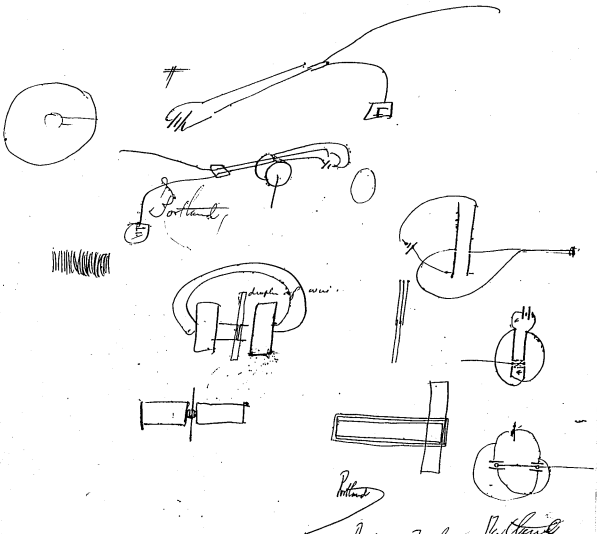


Speaking Telegraph

Nov 10 1877
T A Edison



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Speaking Telegraph

Nov 10 1877
T. A. Edison

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Boston Portland

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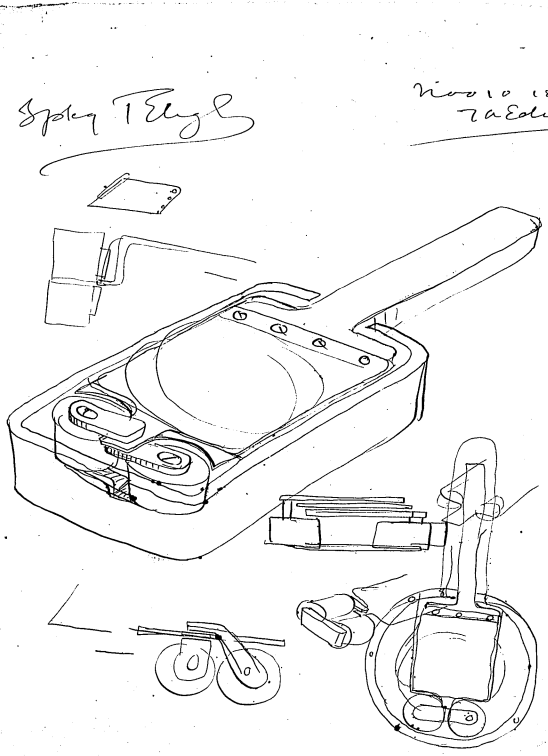
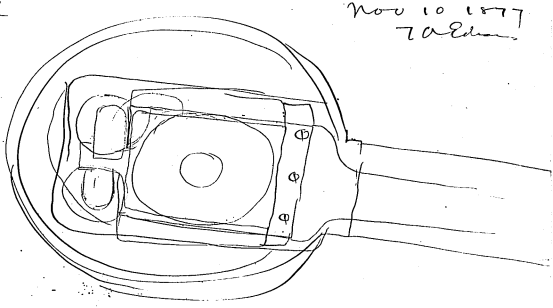
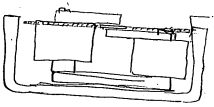
Phonograph: tissue paper + tin foil over it 10 thds to inch on Cylinder

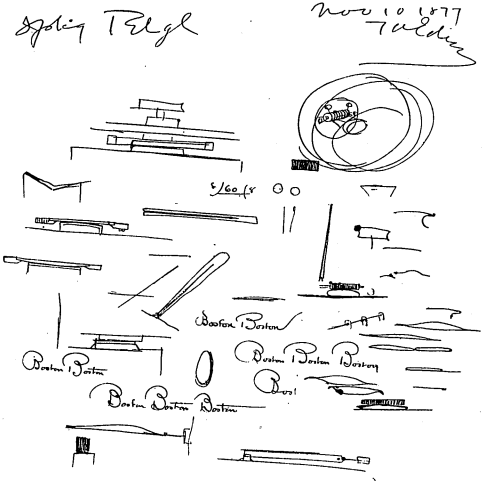


Steel

Nov 10 1977
T.A. Edison



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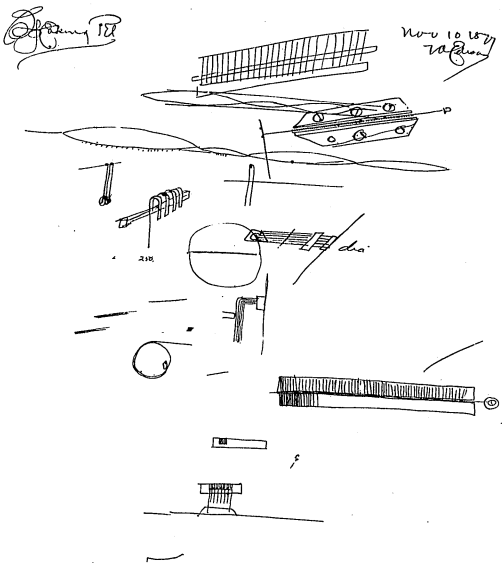

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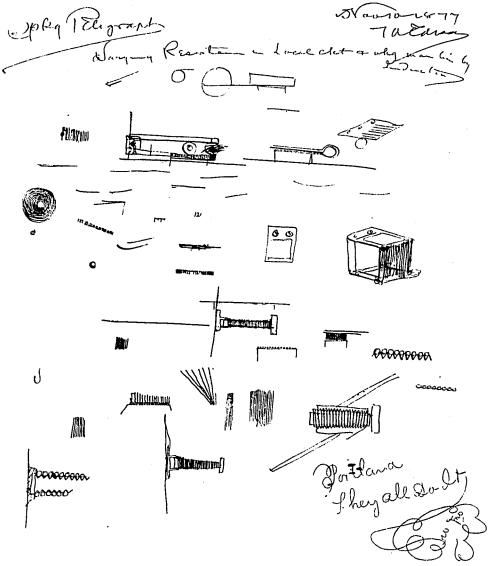

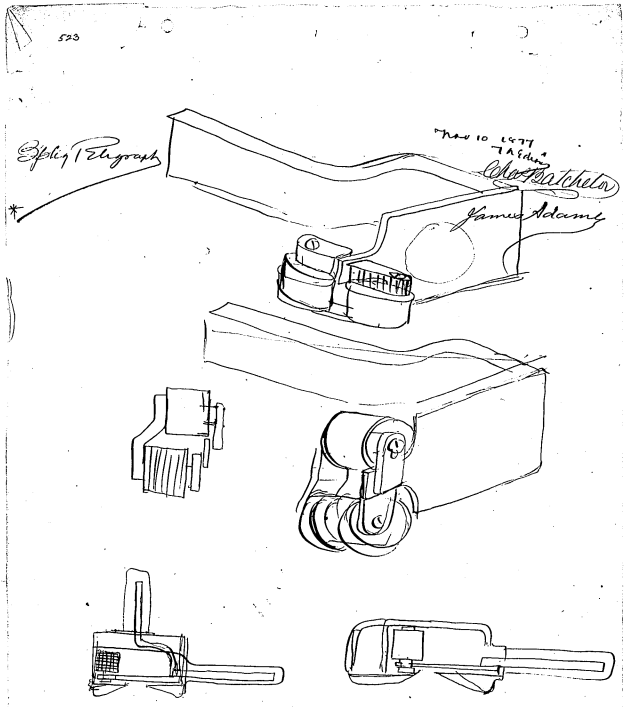
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James Adams

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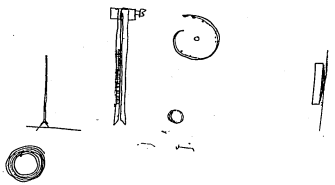

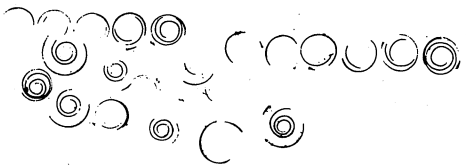

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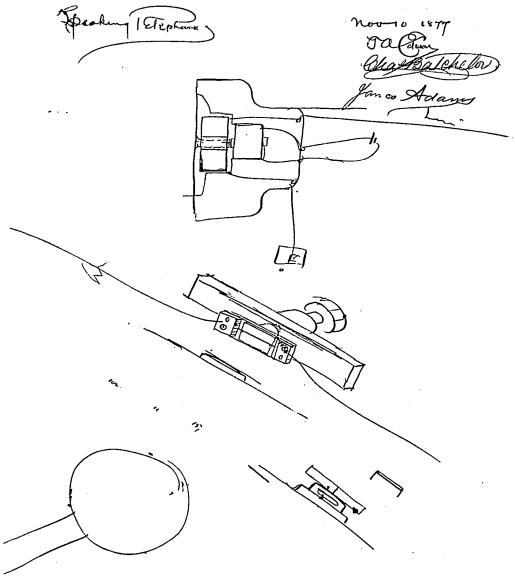

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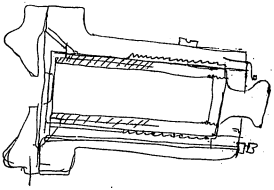
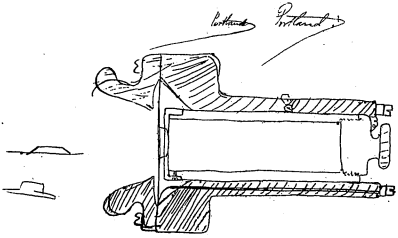
Nov—10. 1877

Chas Batchelor





carbon telephone

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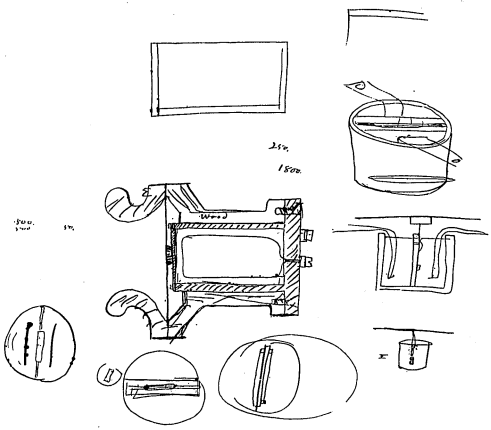
J.A. Beam
Chas. A. Tachelor
James Adams



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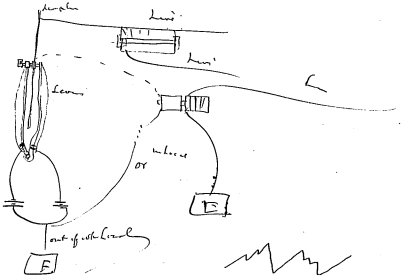

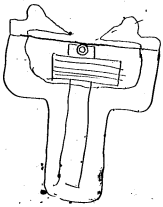

Bell.
Input – articulation
Lamp and Diaphragm

Rubber tubing – end of
piece missing

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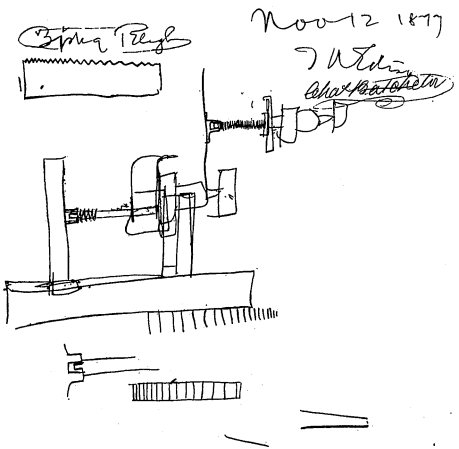

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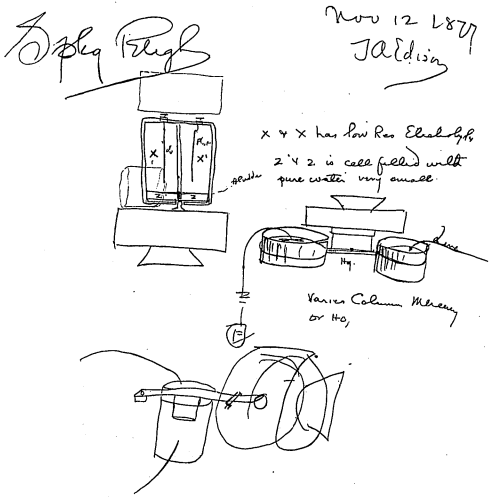
Nov 12 1877
T.A. Edison
X 4 X has low Res. Electrolyte
2 4 2 is cell filled with pure water very small
Hg.
Vacuo
Various Columns Mercury or H2O

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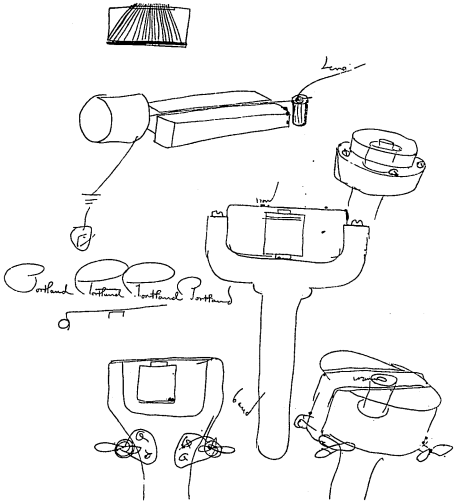
Nov 12 1877
T.A. Edison



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To Edison

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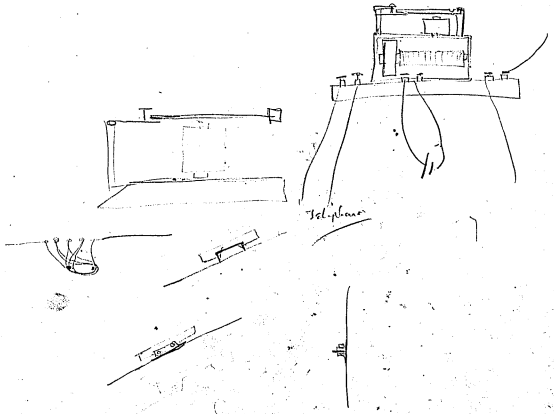

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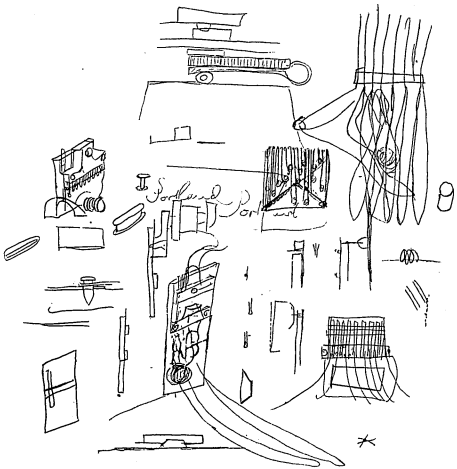
T A Edison

Chas Batchelor



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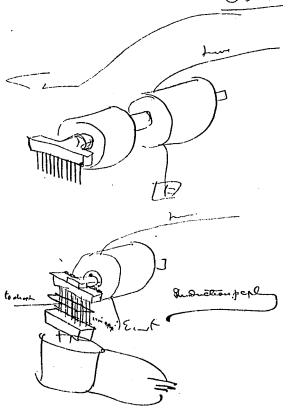
T.A. Edison

Spring Electric



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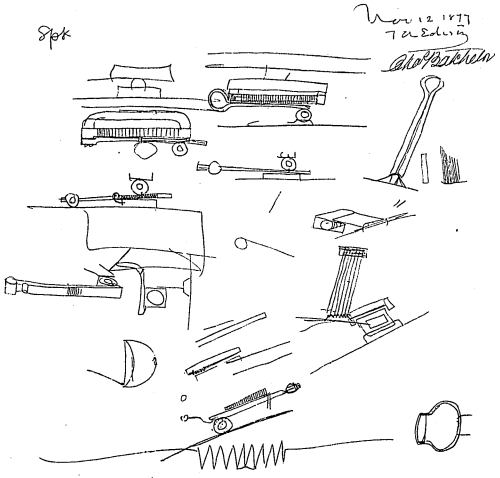

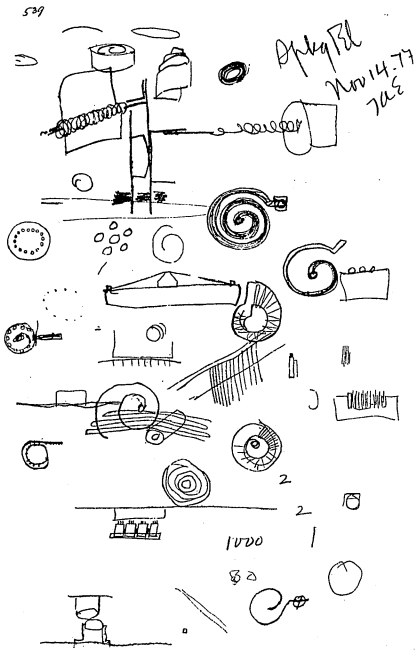
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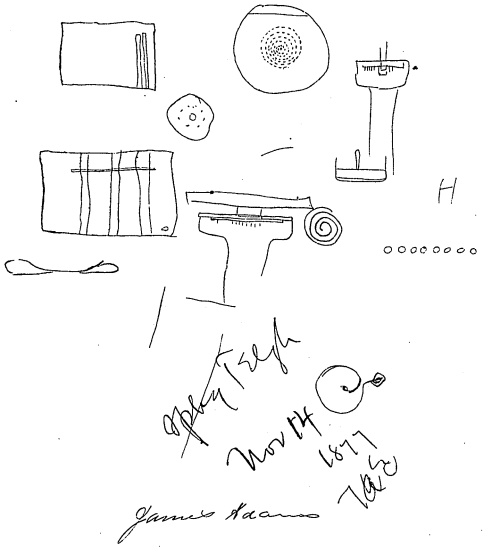

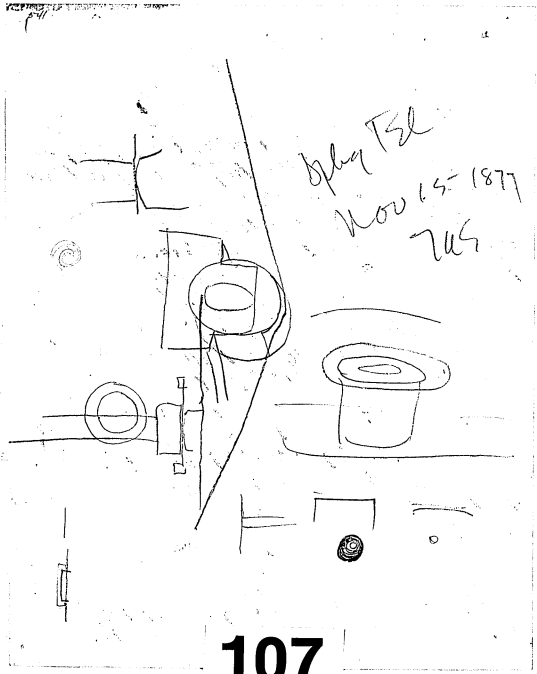
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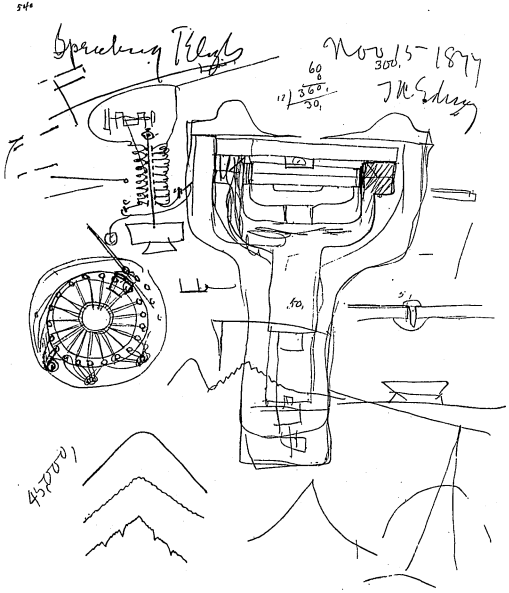
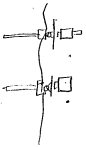


new idea
Sphy Peripheral —

November 1977
Taylor



not good. Idea was to get rid of [illegible] Columns
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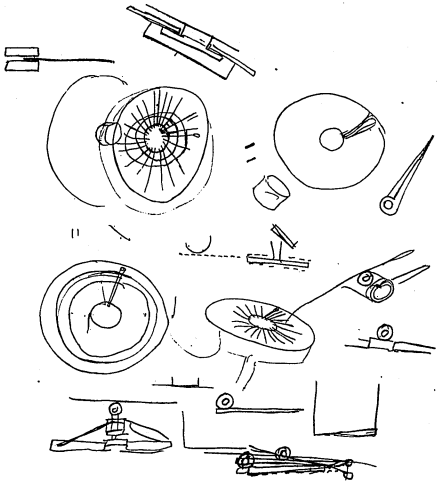
Speaking Telegraph

Nov 16th 1877

Charles Batchelor



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Nov. 16. 1877.

Dr Lord Rayleigh

To Edison

Found that in Bell's telephone a Copper or Mica diaphragm could be used to transmit the pleasure of voice. Whether how does it work depends upon the fact that the vibration of the diaphragm disturbs the molecular positions of the permanent magnet hence Currents — We mention make a number of experiments to devise a telephone based on the molecular disturbance of a permanent Mag or Electromagnet. We find that words spoken in a Bell telephone is received with ½ the loudness on the Copper diaphragm apparatus but they would if there was an iron diaphragm — this — a nice advance — the air-house pulsatile — gets clear of Bell's telephone

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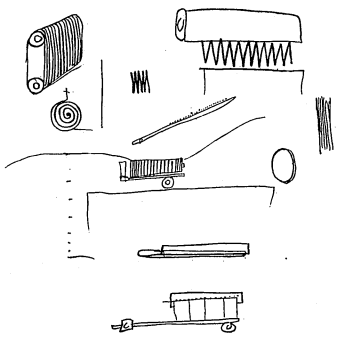
Nov 16 1877
T A Edison

Phonograph



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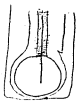

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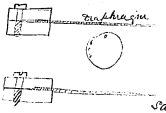
Speaking Telegraph
Sunflower pattern Nov 11th 1877

Chas B Batchelor

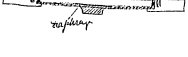
To fasten diaphragm to bind all round



Two flat rings with diaphragm clamped in between leaving plenty of room for screws outside of edge of plate

Same but top plate recessed 3/4 thickness of plate

Diaphragm recessed into frame and a ring screwed into ring & tightened up on the diaphragm this would be sure to bind all over



Diaphragm set in from back and ring fast in afterwards edgeways, this is clamped against diaphragm by screws all round as at X X

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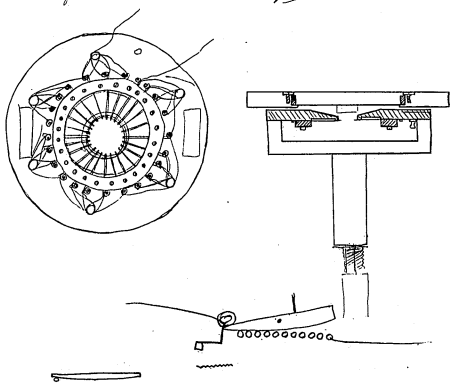
Nov 14 1877

T. A. Edison
Charles Batchelor
James Adams

Sunflower



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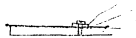
- carbon telegraph
Nov 14th 1877

Charles Batchelor

Methods of Clampeng vibratory Springs on Sun flower telephone

Springs made of hair spring

Spring bent on end and pin wedged in hole with it.



Spring held by brass washer and clampeng screw

Spring soldered to collar & held in place by screw

Spring bent in slot in a washer and tightened when screwed down upon

Cross bar with 2 spikes

small staple

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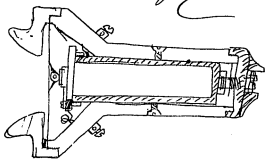
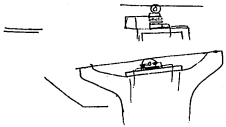
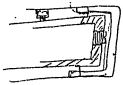
Nov 19 1877
J. H. Bunn
Ella A. Batchelor
James Adams

Apply Telegraph







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T.A. Edison

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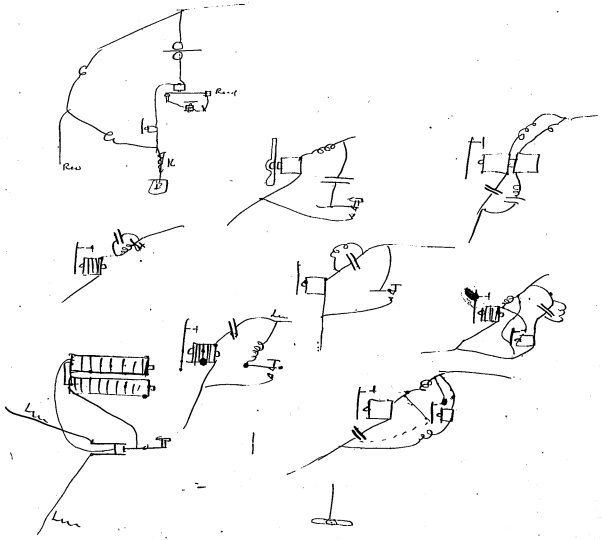

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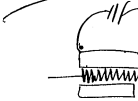

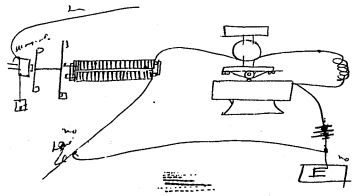

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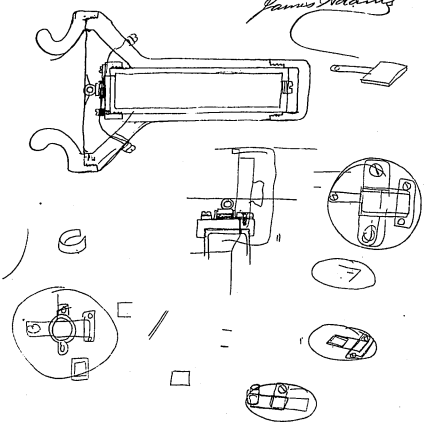
Speaking Telephone

Nov 19 1877

Chas Batchelor
James Adams



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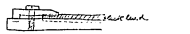
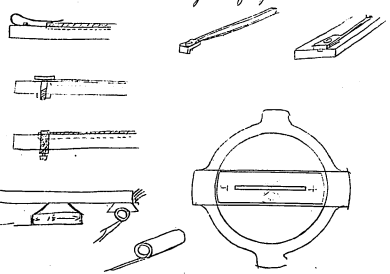


Clamp to hold lead in pencil telephone

Cut groove for pencil to slide in



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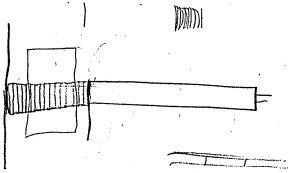

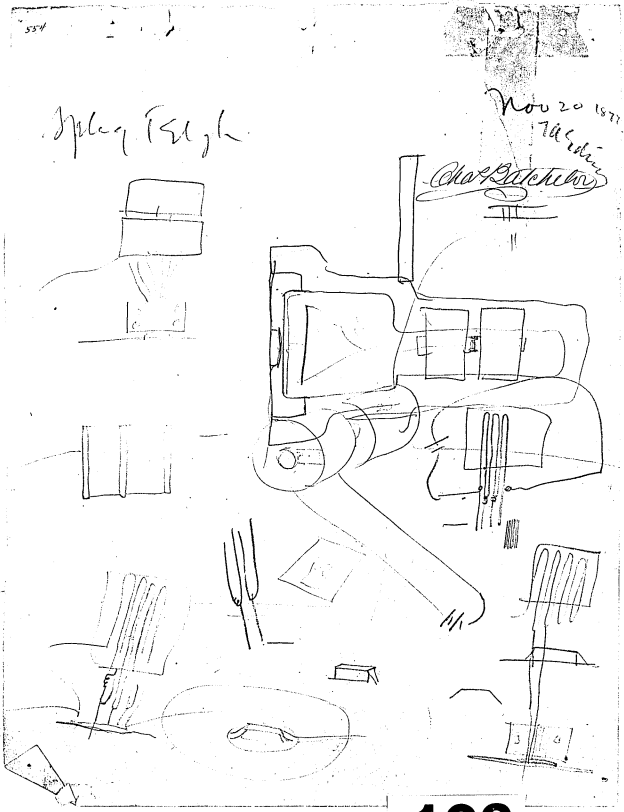

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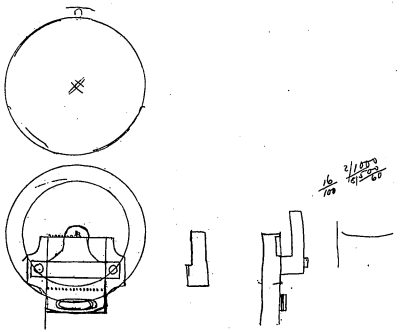

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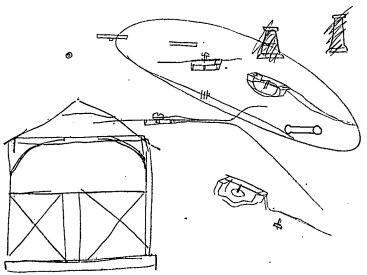
Nov 20 1877

To Edison

Chas Batchelor, Nov 20

Alterations. Put rack lever on the piece like the one you put on the wire spool

Batchelor



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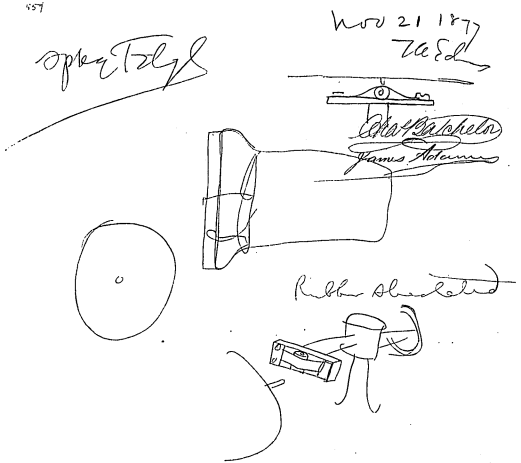

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Nov 21 1877
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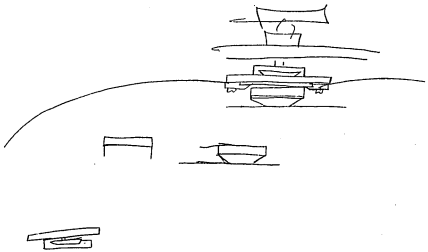

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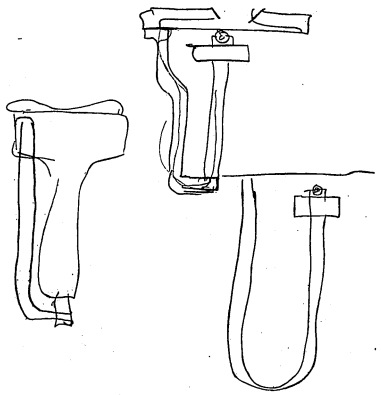


10 Cell Moist battery

Put up Nov 21 1877 Chas Batchelor

Tests Bradley Galv No 24

1877		1	2	3	4
Nov 21st	10 AM	79	67	28	4
	4 PM	79	67	28	4

No was in short circuit

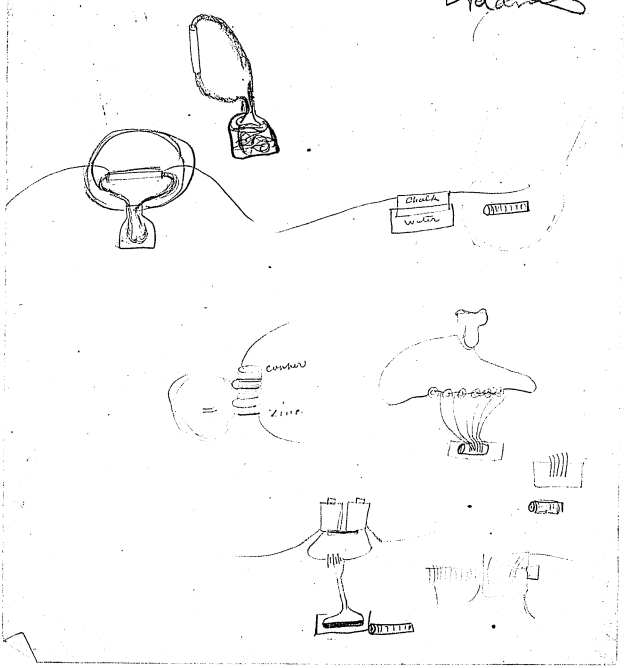
Nov 21st 4 PM put on 2000 ohms steady

1	2	3	4
43	16	3	½

Speaking. tele.

Nov. 22d 1877

Adams



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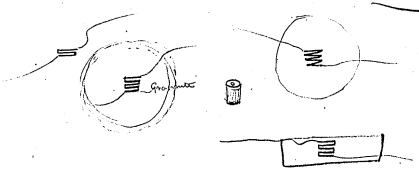

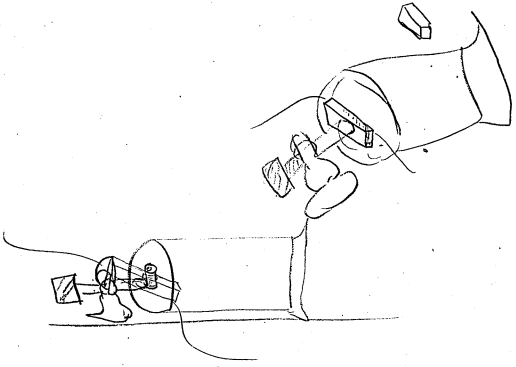

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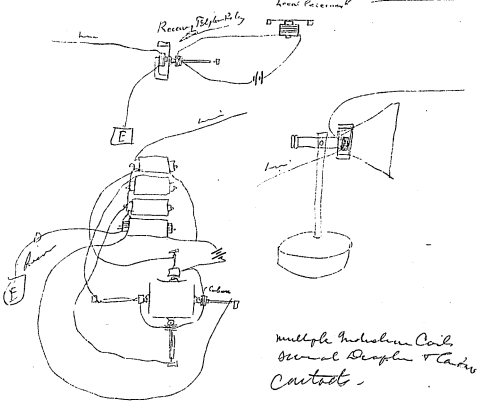
Agent Patentee James Adams



Multiple Inductum Coil.
Normal Diaphragm & Carbon
Contacts.

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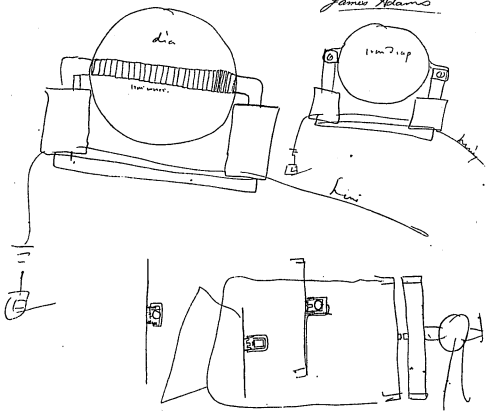
T.A. Edison
Chas. Batchelor
James Adams



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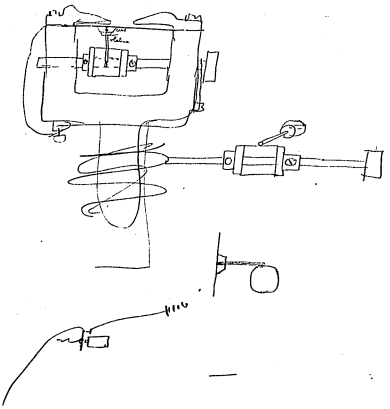

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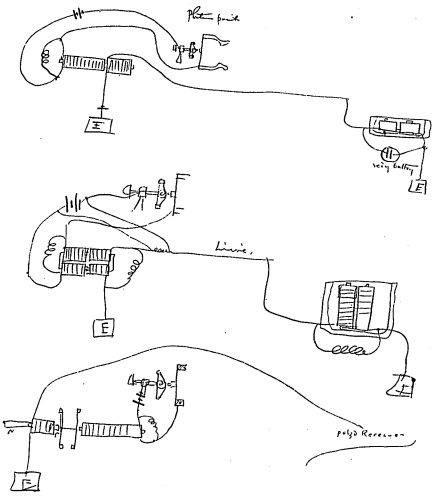
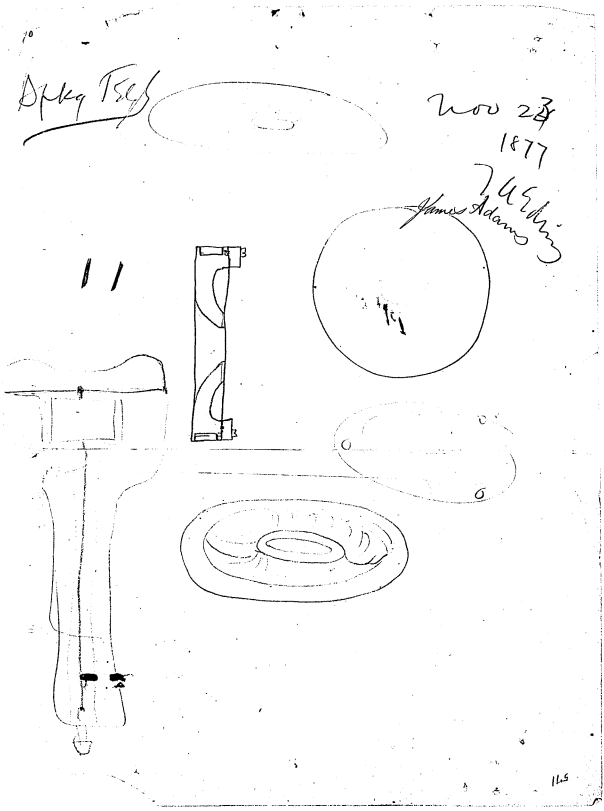
November 28 1877

T. A. Edison

Chas. Batchelor

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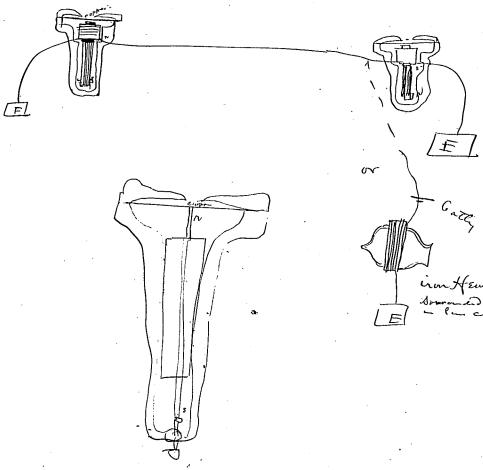
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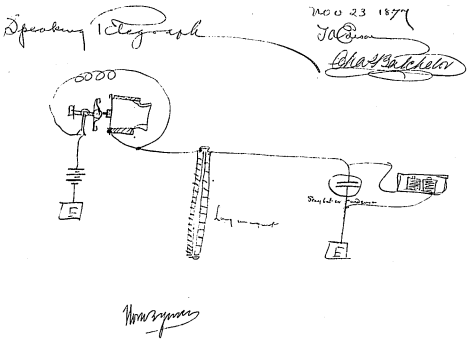

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T. A. Edison

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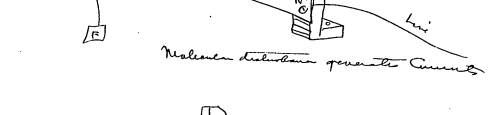

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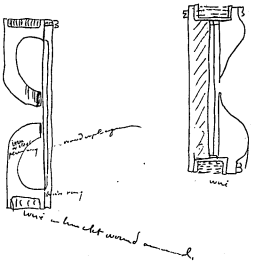
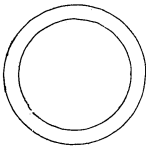
To Edison
Chas Batchelor





Nov 23 1877
T.A. Edison

Magneto Multiplex Telephone
Apparatus for Causing the Armature
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Primary Magneto Current
to Allow Reduction Coil
Being Employed,

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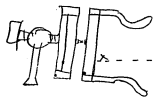
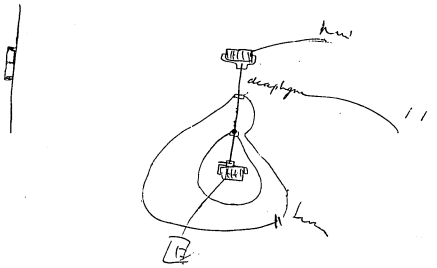
T A Edison





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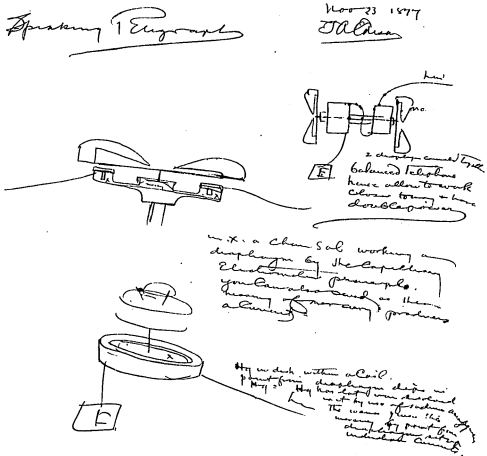

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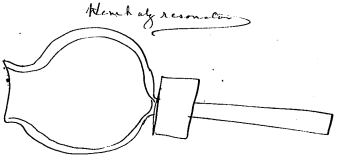

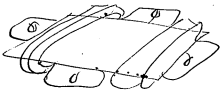

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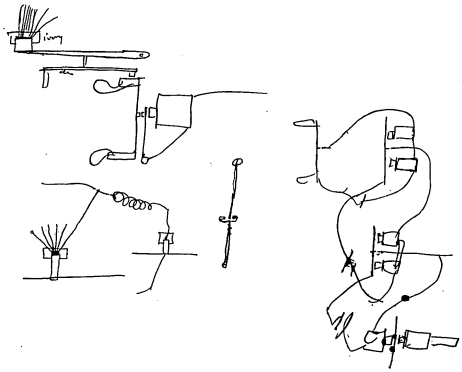

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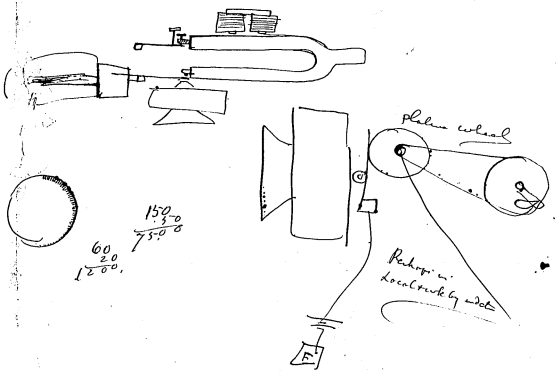

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Ring Telegraph

Nov. 24 1847

Chas Batcheller

James Adams

Reverse diagram

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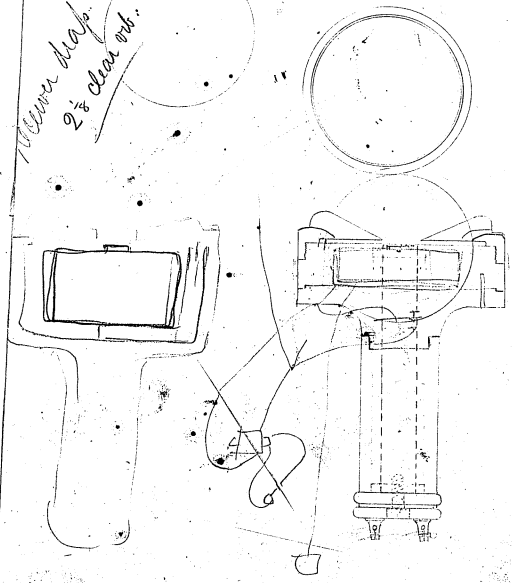

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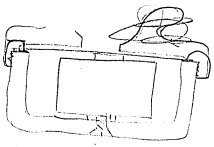

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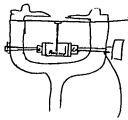
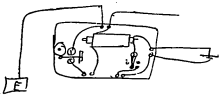
Nov-26 1878
T. A. Edison





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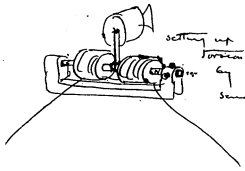

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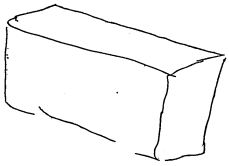

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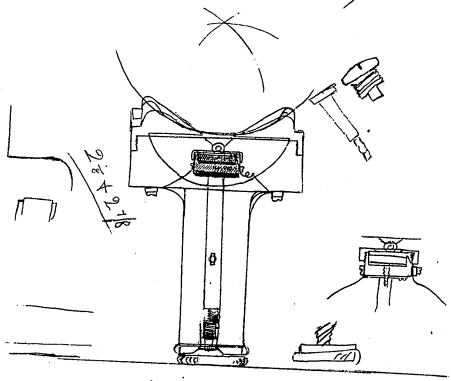
Nov. 26th 1877

Chas Batchelor

James Adams



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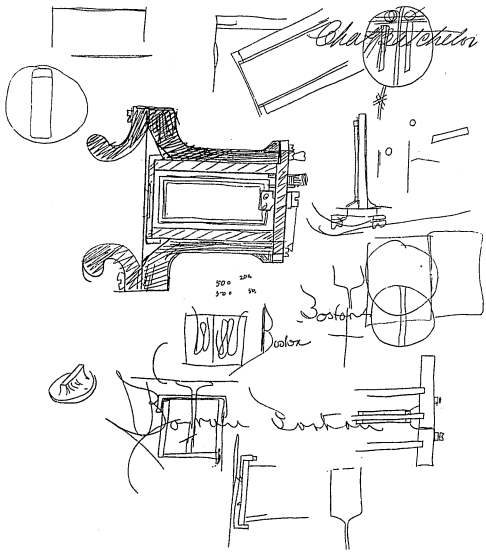

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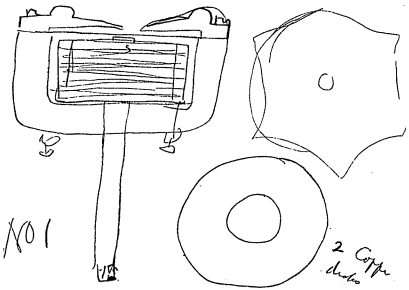
T. A. Edison
Chas Batchelor



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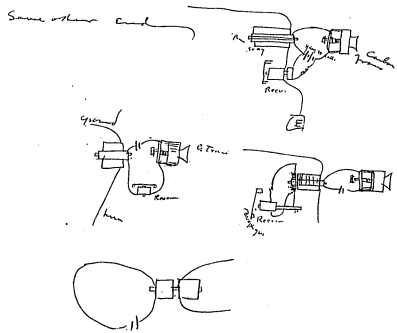
To Edison



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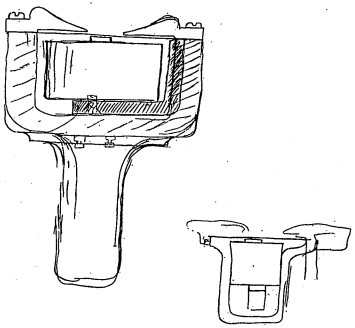

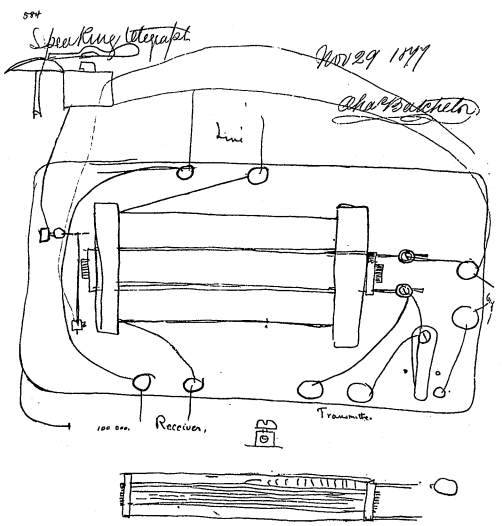
Speaking telegraph.
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Transmitter.

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Speaking telegraph

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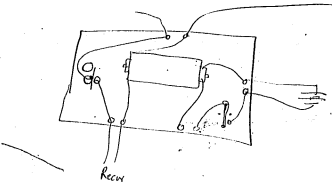

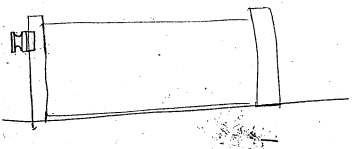

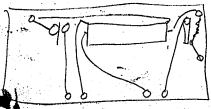

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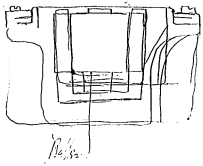

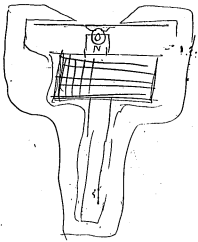

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EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 158—13.

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4	Lamp Block Mould	4		
	" Cash & Edison			60¢
5	Murray Telephone	9		
6	" "	12		
7	" "	10		
8	" "	10		
	" Sheet Steel & Iron			35¢
9	Murray Telephone	12		
10	" "	10		
11	Telephone	6		
12	"	10		
13	" Experiment	10		
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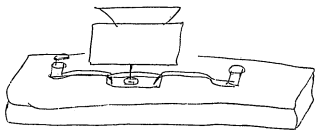
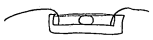
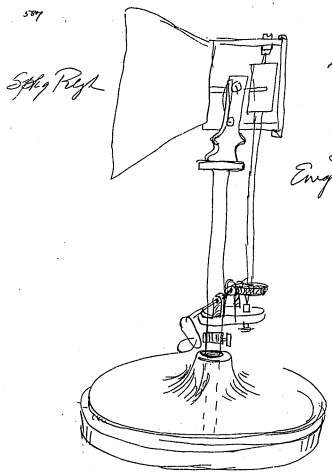
Speed Telegraph

Dec 2. 1877
T A Edison



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Dec 3 1877
Witness
Chas Batchelor
James Adams
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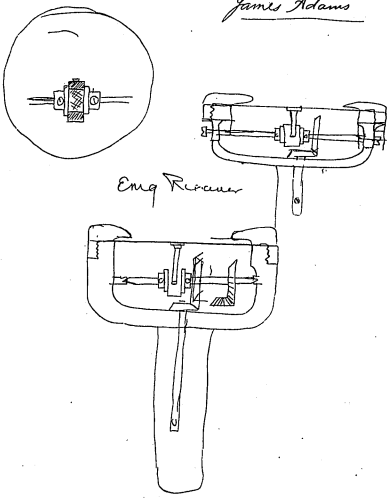
EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 161–13.

Speaking telegraph

Dec 3 1877.
J C Edison
Chas B Batchelor
James Adams



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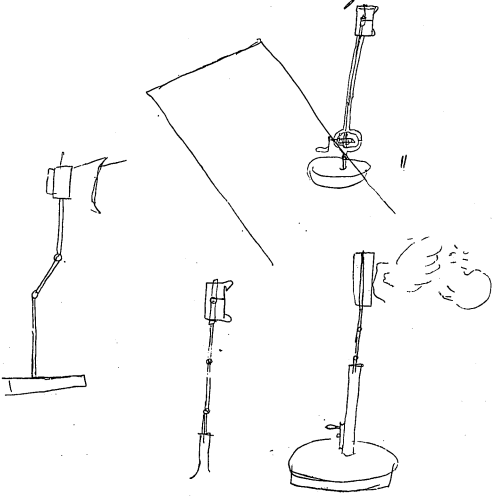
Recording Telegraph

December 3 1877
Ja Pain
Chas Batchelor
James Adam



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Sylvester Phelps

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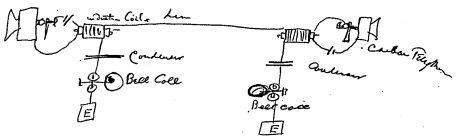

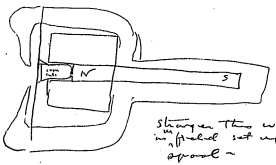

EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 164–13.

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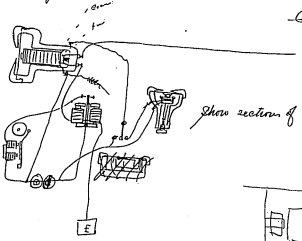
Speaking telegraph

Model for P.O.

Dec 4 1877

Chas Batchelor



Show section of trans. + rec.

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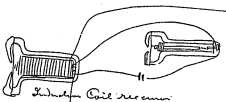
Speaking Telephone

Dec 4 1877

J A Briggs

Chas B Batchelor

James Adams



Difficult Call Eighty Seven

Twenty Twenty

Twenty Fourth

Fourth February Third

EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 166–13.

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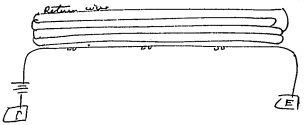
Dplex Telegraph

Dec 4 1874
T A Edison
Charles Batchelor
James Adams

any resistance in the ground wire will cause induction or leakage in the telephone wire,

How to prevent =



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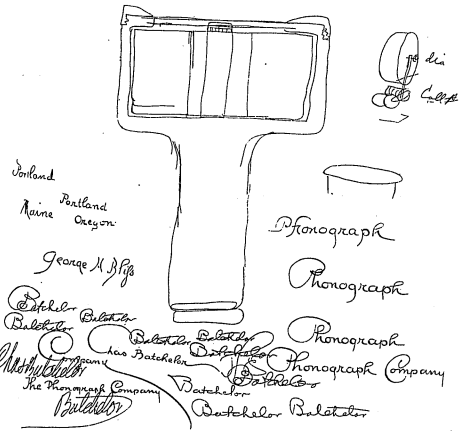
Dec 7 1877
To Edison
James Adams


Portland
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George M. Phelps
Batchelor
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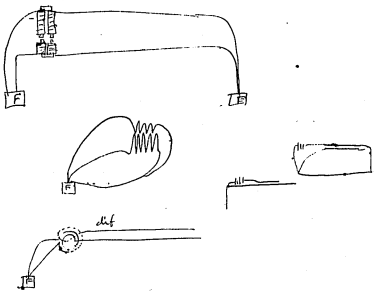
Compensating Dec 7/77

The Compensator may even be in the halves of the signalling wire instead of the line. Of course the principle being the same Evil & in other similar circuits Compensators may be employed in numerous ways.



EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 169–13.

Speaking Telegh

Dec 7

1877

J A Cram

Idea occurred to me that the plan I thought of for Compensating for asymetry in Quadruplex from Pole to Change, & universal magnetic ozone would be just the thing for distinguishing the letter a noise on a Telephone wire. First Experiment today in New York on a telephone wire to 23rd st from 195 Broadway placed one magnet in a disturbing circuit facing a similar magnet in the telephone circuit working disturbing Current induction due to movement of armature of both was neutralized by the induction of the magnet when in a particular adjustment thus

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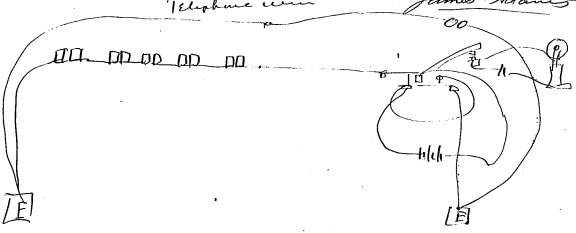
Compound Lever

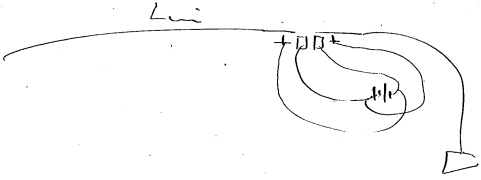
Dec 7 1877

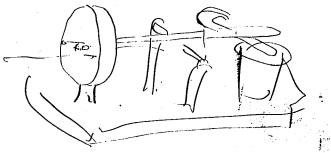
To Edison

James Adams

Telephone







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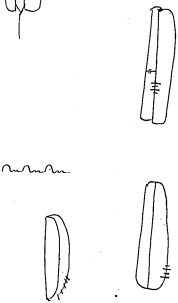
Compensation

Dec 7 1877

James Adams



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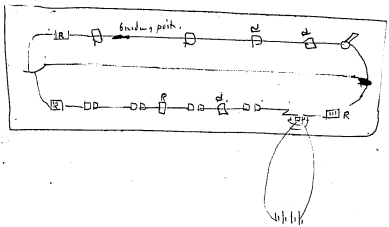
Compensation

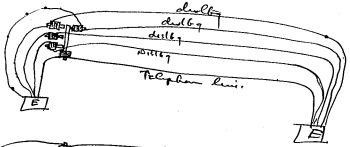
Dec 7 1877
-7a Edison
James Adams



Compensation

~~No 26 1877~~
Dec 7 1877
J A Edison

I propose to carry out this principle of Compensation in telegraphs of all Kinds. If 4 lines disturb a particular one I use it thus



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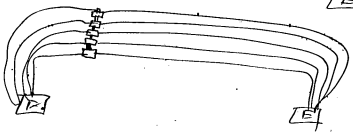

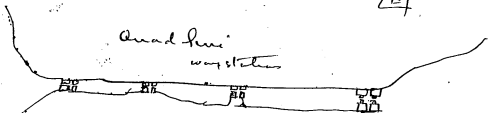

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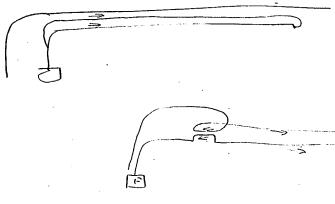
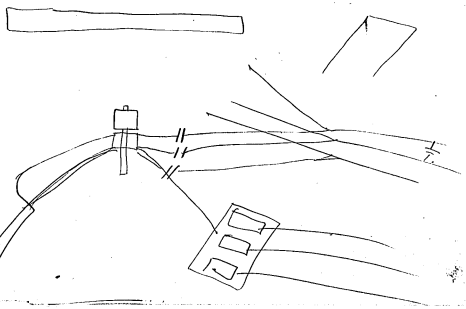
Compensation

Dec 7 1877
T A Edison
James Adams





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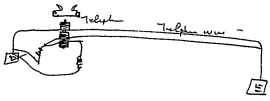
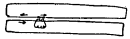


I think Coarse wire must be used in magnet placed in circuit to be compensated for [illegible] of low resistance;



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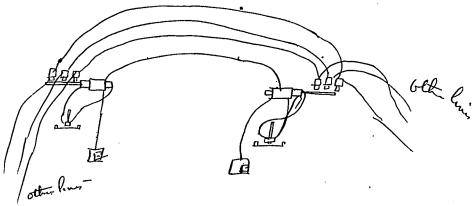
EDISON'S EXHIBIT. 176–13.

Compensation

Dec 10 1879



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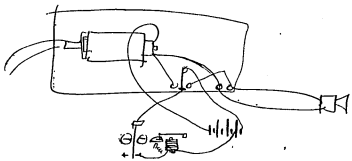
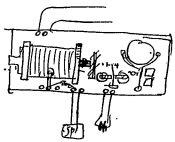
Speaking Telephone. ,, Dec 15 1877
T A Edison





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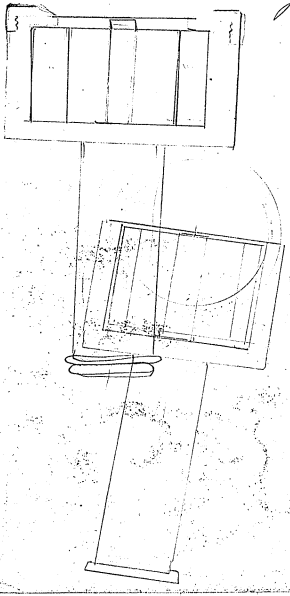
Reading Telescope.

Dec 17 1777

Chas Pinckney

James Adams



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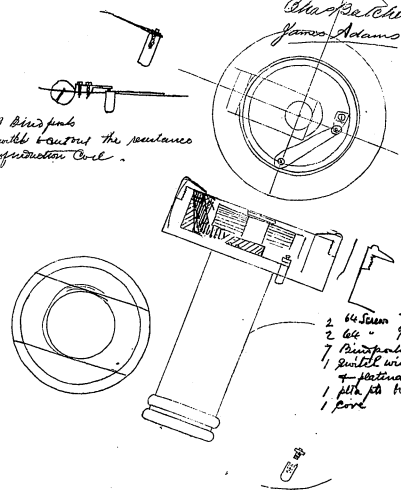
Sparking Telegraph

Dec 14th 1877

Chas Batchelor
James Adams


3 Brass pins
with bottons the resistance of induction Coil.
2 64 Screws ½ long
2 64 " 3/16 long
7 Brass pins
1 pivoted with rubber
+ platina point
1 pith ball bracket
1 cord

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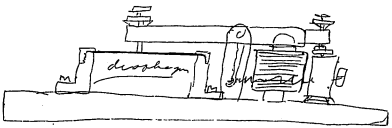

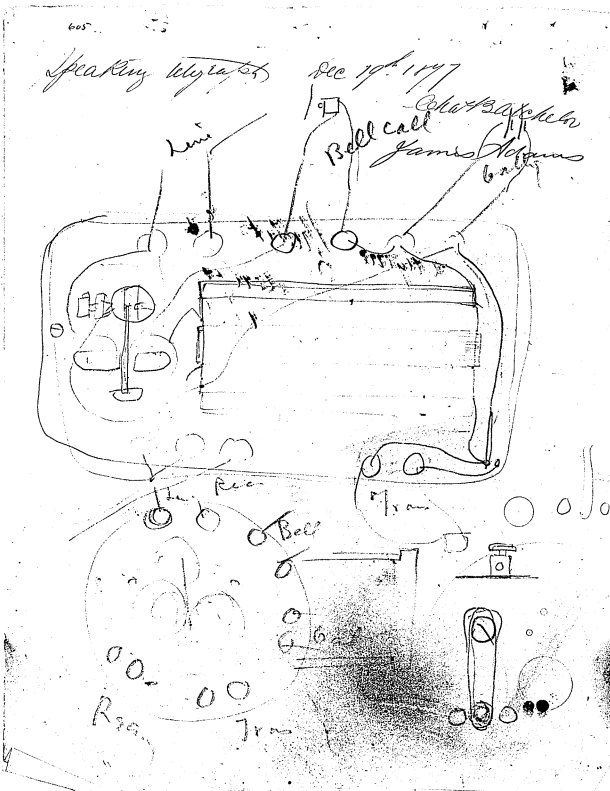
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Speaking telegraph
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Bell call
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Speaking Telegraph

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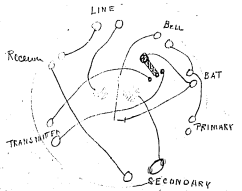
James Adams



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Starkey Illegible

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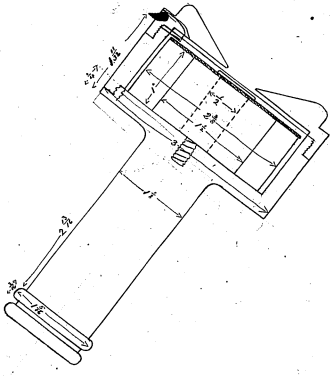
Chas Belcher
James Adams



Inner spout 140 ohms
outside spout cross
wire to make up edge

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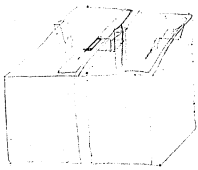
James Adams



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Test of Gatling for Speaker & Telgh Dec 20 1877

James Adams

NO 1.

1135 am = Watson. 2 minutes after pulling up 1 call works

Bunnell sounder faintly -

on NO 4 string of Bunnell gal quiet dif 9 1/4

" " 3 — 50 1/4

" 2 — 59

" 1 — 63

shortcircd = No Time to Insulate

NO 2

1143 am Watson

NO 4 string	13
NO 3	60
NO 2	62
NO 1	65

works Bunnell sounder somewhat stronger than NO 1. and sufficiently for a majority of offices -

shortcircd -

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Battery Limit.

Dec 20. 77.

James Adams

Nos 1 & 2 Watson Laycock work complete with all the slag required for ingot making

No 4 slag	12
No 3	62
No 2	74
No 1	78

Commenced for ingot making at 11 52 1/2

In No 2 melt the Brass got in Crucible with Zinc but not in No 1. that may account for Powder inclusions & of No 2. Brass I think from Zinc in No 1

1154

Leaf Furnace Crucible Rmd & Many Casting melted

No 4 Slag	23
No 3	72
No 2	70
No 1	72 1/2

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Bar No 4 string runs from 21 Bars to 17 in 25 seconds from 17 to 16 in one minute - from 16 to 15 in 2½ minutes.

Opening coil 1 minute it goes to 17½ + falls to 16 in 5 seconds

after this I put it to No 3 Coil the speed to 64 - goes to 62½ in 2 minutes - from 62½ to 61 3/4 in 2 minutes

On No 2 Coil goes to 62 recovers on the Coil to 63 1/4 - in 2½ minutes goes to 64 in 2 minutes mean = Resistance of this Coil 30 ohms

Works a Bunnells Cymbal Chamber Chair 1 watt in but not quite so strong as 2 Watts.

Polarizes slightly on Bunnell in 2 minutes I adjusted it up high so it would just work in 2 minutes. I was compelled to give adjust not ½ a turn to get it to work again in 2 minutes more I had to give just over ⅓ of a turn to get it to work in 2 minutes more no adjusting necessary =

Continued.

If I think this would be a valuable finding local of the sounder had a resistance equal to No 2 Coil (~~$= q \pi R^2 \frac{n^2}{A} \times$~~ 2 Coil) it it would not then polarize.

It occurs to me that ~~there is a point~~ the element does not polarize when forming a certain Volume of Current but any attempt to ~~get~~ obtain a greater amount Causes polarization as the means for producing polarization is insufficient to permeate it when to greater a volume is attempted to be forced from it by low ~~voltage~~ External resistance.

Putting the Coil on No 4 goes to 11½ showing that it has gradually polarized during these Experiments 1 minute it goes to 10¾ – On No 2 it goes to 5½ & recovers to 6 in 12 Seconds a gradual polarization goes to a Phenomenon does not materially depolarize or strengthen current –

Continued

No 2 Reclaimed gone to 13 on No 4
on No 3 ——— 61
No 2 66. 4 goes up
No 1 ——— 70 3/4

on No 4 palaya from 13 to 11 in 28 seconds
from 11 to to 10 in 1 minute. after the public
Sc-plus =
on No 2 coil goes to = 4 recovers to 63 in 12 seconds
4 goes to 64 in 1½ minutes =
Works a Bunnell rounder like the other =
The 2 Cogelher with Samuder & the Wave the
2 wathes & make goes local =
on No 4 goes to 15. polys to 14 in 15-
seconds to 13 in 30 seconds to 12 in 1½
minutes =
No 3 Coil goes to 61 4 polays & coming
No 2 Coil " 73½ 4 recovers =

Okay started for inbound =
12.40. PM =

(Continued)-

Fuller battery. one No 1½ Carbon with
Cardiff Barium zinc in porous pot zinc ¼ Inch
thick 2 inch wide & 5½ inch long.
SO_3 spoonful in porous pot with Mercury in
contact with zinc = 4d q rather impure from
loaded with zinc = 4 porous pots full mod shiny Electrolyte
in each cell

No 4 shone 82½
No 3 — 90
No 2 78/-
No 1 79/-

No 2. Solution
No 4 shone 56
No 3 90
No 2 [illegible]
No 1 56/-

Corrected for quantity & short Circuit
at 12.40 PM

Continued. No. 1.

The Regular Leclanche formula.

No. 4 slug ——— 57.
plunges, to 55 in 1 minute.

No 3 ——— 84 1/4
dont plunge in one minute.

No 2 — 41 1/2 = 82 1/2

No 1

Works a Bunnell very strongly almost equal to Carbon. Cant adjust to high but what it will do work.

Paint at Work on No 4 plate.

55.

Short Circuited

Resistance Galvanometer

No 4	Nil
No 3	1 ohm
No 2	30 ohms
No 1	150 "

Continued

Leclanche Continued –

from short circuited 12 minutes stood at 45 on No 4 when short circuit – now 0 Cands = 47½

No 3 Coil 81½ recovers slightly after 6 min short circuit in such transmission

No 2 Coil, 67½ recovers 1 deg in 1 minute

No 2. Range given 60 Cands Leclanche Regular.

No 4 Coil 36.
Polarity in 2 minutes to 31½ -
No 3 Coil 77
No 2 Coil 69
No 1 Coil 71

In Sounder not quite so strong as No 1 Coil apparently there is a great deficiency in the internal Resistance of these Elements which is an objectionable feature –

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Cu Cl

Last shell (them connected for intensity at 1.55 pm =

Regulus 1½ Coalbrn: no SO_3 outside but little Red fluid inside: ordinary rough & tumble way we do it here =

No 4 Coal	81
No 3 "	90
No 2 "	78
No 1 "	78 ¼

No 2 Cell do

No 4 Coal	87 3/4
No 3 "	90
No 1 "	78 1/2

Shut shell for intensity at 2.12 pm.

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(Continued)

Leclanche Regulation cells at

3 pm.

No 4 Cell	28
No 3 "	76 1/2
No 2 "	74
No 1 "	77.

Works Burnmeh & Rumbelow slowly.

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302 pm-

Leclanche Quarter New style No power left

No 4	6 1/4
No 3	41
No 2	63
No 1	912

11th Dec 22

Works Burnmeh & Rumbelow not equal to the 2 written tested on next page which is 1/3 current twice as strong

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Water No 1 & 2 = 32.07 pm

No 4 Coal	23
No 3 "	73
No 2 "	74
No 1 "	76

Sheffield

New Telephone Coal Co Bar

away stands 3 to 4 dip from Zero, Local Colour 41. which is ~~about~~ 20 ohms feet in goes to 74 which is little less than 2 ohms, goes from 4 to 30 in. about 1/2 in turn or say 1/6 of a turn

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Battery Cells

Dec 22 1877

4.15 PM.

James Adams

Leclanche regulator

No 4	16 ~~12~~	
No 3	55 ~~11~~	
No 2	5·4	recovers rapidly in 40 min to 60
No 1	62	

at 437. No 4 ~~25~~ = No 3 70 No 2 63 opened circuit at 4.20 PM

Fuller –

No 4 Coil	10
3 "	57
2 "	5·9 ½
1 "	63

I find that the porous Cell ½ full of a solid brownish substance & almost all the H2 SO4 gone in one cell & all gone – the other = although the outside solution is full up & has not run out both by Evaporation & refilled porous Cells.

No 4 Cell	23	Left open
3 "	70	29

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Continued - Dec 22
James Adams

the flood outside is blue + bagged out.
I don't think much of the freeden
improvements =

Lachmund Small

No 4 Coil	2	
3 "	7 1/2	
2 "	23	Opened det at
1	43 1/2	431 PM

Watson:

No 4 Coil	~~38~~	45
" 3 "	~~80 1/2~~	82 1/2
2	~~72~~	
1	74	

Opened 435 PM

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Cadmium

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Lichanchi Reg

440 pm = No 4 30. polarity to 20 in 40 seconds Whew!!

5-50 pm No 4 41 polarity 30 in 40 seconds

cut 6 PM left it on No 2 Coil-stood ~~[illegible]~~ 70!

Dec 23 1877

Lichanchi Reg

940 am ~~No 4 Coil~~ I find that on No 2 Coil it stands at 75. having gone from 70 last night to 75 on a 30 ohm Coil

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Menlo Park Dec 22 / 77

J.B.A.D

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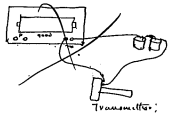

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Bulby

on 18 ohms 2 cells Leclanche Reg on 1 ohm shunt goes to 41 + balance to 39 + then remains Constant The two Watts in series goes to 46 and is not Constant Hence is required strength the Watts is supposed to the Leclanche for Telephone

Second trial by opening the Leclanche 1 ohm shunt goes to 42½ but package to 40 in 20 Seconds in 1 hour 38.

2 Cells Carbon new goes to 70 on Coil No 3 with 18 ohms

1 Cell to 50, hence 2 watts is not quite Equivalent to 1 Carbon on the Coil & Resistance

1205 pm 9 put 2 cells Carbon on No 3 Coil 1 ohm with 18 ohms in Rheostat 70

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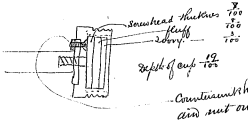
Dec 26th 1877

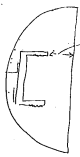
Model Telephone Transmitter

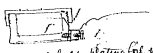
Sent to Munroe.

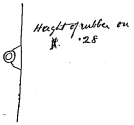
Chas Batchelor.

Bend posts have got 19/32 screws & screw on rubber —


Screw heads thickness 7/100
Fluff 7/100
Screw 5/100
Depth of cup 19/100
Countersunk head screw from inside air vent on outside for connection







~~Screw Bolt~~

Screw 04

Hard wood 07

Fluff 08

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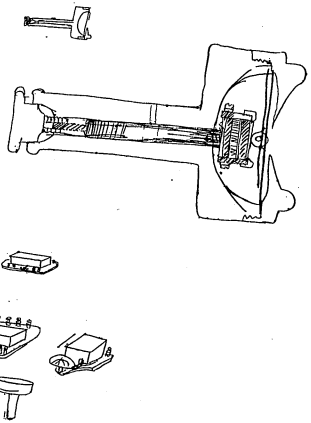
Witnesses T. Thompson

Dec 28 1877
T. A. Edison
Thos. Carmichael



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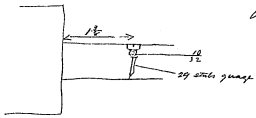
Speaking Telephone

Dec 29th

Edw. Batchelor

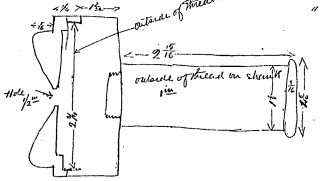
James Adams

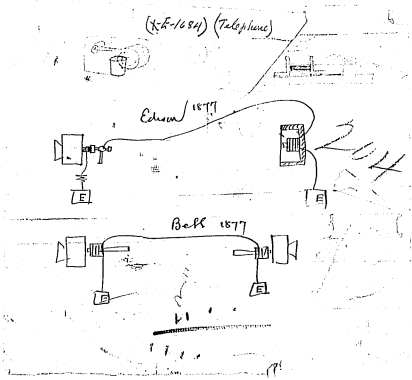
Munay modle transmitter



Diameter of Diaphragm 1¼ over all

" Diaphragm for Telephone

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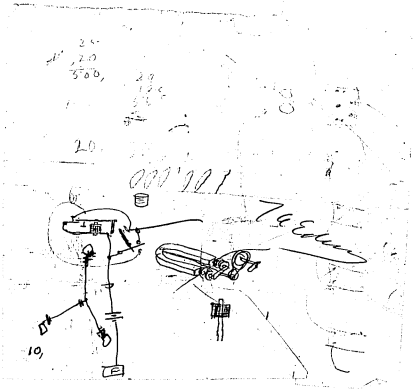

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